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Senator Peaden

- S 0230 **GENERAL BILL by Jones; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano (Similar H 0777, Compare H 1733, H 1795, S 1568)
Acute Care Hospitals; provides for certain acute care hospitals in high growth counties to add additional beds, with approval of AHCA. Amends 408.043. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
01/16/03 SENATE Referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care
03/04/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care -SJ 00020
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1568 (Ch. 2003-161)
- H 0777 GENERAL BILL by Farkas (Similar S 0230, Compare H 1733, H 1795, S 1568)
Acute Care Hospitals; provides for certain acute care hospitals in high growth counties to add additional beds, with approval of AHCA; incorporates amendment by cross reference. Amends 408.043; reenacts 395.0191. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
02/27/03 HOUSE Prefiled
02/28/03 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1568 (Ch. 2003-161)
- H 1733 GENERAL BILL by Harrington; (CO-SPONSORS) Farkas (Identical H 1795, S 1568, Compare H 0777, S 0230)
Acute Care Hospitals; provides for certain acute care hospitals in high growth counties to add additional beds, without approval of AHCA; provides for notice. Amends 408.043. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
03/14/03 HOUSE Filed
03/19/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00220
04/04/03 HOUSE Withdrawn from further cons., Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1568 (Ch. 2003-161) -HJ 00295
- H 1795 GENERAL BILL by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Farkas (Identical H 1733, S 1568, Compare H 0777, S 0230)
Acute Care Hospitals; provides for certain acute care hospitals in high growth counties to add additional beds, without approval of AHCA; provides for notice. Amends 408.043. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
04/10/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted SB 1568; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1568 (Ch. 2003-161) -HJ 00374
- S 1568 GENERAL BILL by Jones (Identical H 1733, H 1795, Compare H 0777, S 0230)
Acute Care Hospitals; provides for certain acute care hospitals in high growth counties to add additional beds, without approval of AHCA; provides for notice. Amends 408.043. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
04/22/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00535

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 1568 (Continued)

06/10/03

Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/20/03

Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-161

S 0250 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Jones; Klein; Saunders; Fasano; Argenziano (Similar H 0441, Compare H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, S 1746)

Rural Hospitals; revises definition of term "rural hospital"; authorizes exemptions from certificate-of-need review for construction of new or replacement facility for rural hospital; provides conditions for eligibility for exemption; expands definition of term "infant delivered" for purposes of payment of initial assessment for each infant delivered in hospital. Amends 395.602, 408.07, 766.314; creates 395.6025. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057

06/12/03

Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/26/03

Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-258

H 0441

GENERAL BILL by Brown; (CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Bullard; Farkas; Green; Greenstein; Henriquez; Murman; Murzin; Spratt; Stansel (CS by Appropriations) (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, Compare H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, S 1746)

Rural Hospitals; revises term "rural hospital"; provides exemption for statutory rural hospital or not-for-profit operator of rural hospitals from certificate-of-need review for construction of new or replacement facility; excludes infants born in certain family practice teaching hospitals from assessments used to fund Fla. Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/CS/SB 250; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258) -HJ 00848

H 0539

GENERAL BILL by Hogan (Identical S 1746, Compare H 0441, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400)

Birth-Related Neurological Injury; provides that assessments for Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan shall not be required for children born in family practice teaching hospital; updates terminology; provides for retroactive application. Amends 766.314. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

02/26/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Services (HC); Health Care; Finance & Tax

03/04/03 HOUSE Withdrawn from Health Services (HC); Health Care; Finance & Tax; Withdrawn prior to introduction, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258) -HJ 00057

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1925 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0441, H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 0657, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 1481, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1294, S 1746, S 1912, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/S 2618, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738, CS/S 2750, S 2780)
Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain medications without valid professional relationship; increases threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01056
05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258), CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)
- S 0400 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Bullard (Compare H 0441, H 0539, H 1871, H 1891, H 1901, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, S 1746, CS/S 2330, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568, CS/CS/S 2738)
Health Programs; exempts hearings in AHCA from requirement of being conducted by administrative law judge; revises provisions re establishment of agency's preferred drug list; requires additional information from applicants for licensure to operate health care facilities; authorizes agency to contract with private or public entities for health care services; revises provisions re cost-effective purchasing of health care, etc. Amends FS.
Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)
- S 1746 GENERAL BILL by Webster (Identical H 0539, Compare H 0441, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400)
Birth-Related Neurological Injury; provides that assessments for Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan shall not be required for children born in family practice teaching hospital; updates terminology; provides for retroactive application. Amends 766.314. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
02/28/03 SENATE Prefiled
03/05/03 SENATE Withdrawn prior to
introduction, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258) -SJ 00161

S 0324 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Lee; Bennett; Siplin

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 0324 *(Continued)

Prostate Cancer Awareness Program; establishes said program within Health Dept.; specifies purpose, activities, administration, & funding sources for program; creates prostate cancer advisory committee; provides for appointment of members; provides for reimbursement of expenses. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

03/05/03 SENATE Favorable by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care;
YEAS 11 NAYS 0 -SJ 00165

03/06/03 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00165

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

S 0390 *GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Lynn (Compare H 1901)

Health Care; delays effective date of certain requirements concerning hours of direct care per resident for nursing home facilities; revises requirements for hearing & visual services to limit such services to persons younger than 21 years of age; provides copayment under Medicaid program for certain nonemergency hosp. visits; removes certain requirements for prior authorization for nursing home residents & institutionalized adults, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 400.23. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/28/03 HOUSE Requested Senate to concur, or failing to concur, appoint Conference Committee -HJ 00694

04/28/03 SENATE In returning messages

05/02/03 SENATE Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

H 1901 GENERAL BILL by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0433, CS/1ST ENG/S 0390, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/CS/S 2738)

Health Care; excludes hearings conducted by AHCA from certain administrative law judge assignment requirements; designates agency's Fair Hearings Office as entity initiating & conducting certain hearings; provides for prepaid health plan for Medicaid HIV/AIDS recipients; requires agency to ensure certain provider choice for Medicaid recipients; requires display of expiration date of prescribed drugs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/18/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00413

04/22/03 HOUSE Referred to Calendar -HJ 00463

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 0392 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden

Medicaid; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re Medicaid program. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/18/03 SENATE Withdrawn from Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00185; Now in Appropriations

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations

S 0394 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden

Services for Veterans; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re services for veterans. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

02/04/03 SENATE Referred to Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar

03/04/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00027

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports

S 0396 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden

Services for Elders; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re services for elders. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

02/04/03 SENATE Referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar

03/04/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00027

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care

S 0398 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden

Services for Children & Families; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re services for children & families. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/18/03 SENATE Withdrawn from Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 0398 **(Continued)

03/18/03 SENATE Services; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00185; Now in Appropriations

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations

S 0400 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Bullard (Compare H 0441, H 0539, H 1871, H 1891, H 1901, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, S 1746, CS/S 2330, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568, CS/CS/S 2738) Health Programs; exempts hearings in AHCA from requirement of being conducted by administrative law judge; revises provisions re establishment of agency's preferred drug list; requires additional information from applicants for licensure to operate health care facilities; authorizes agency to contract with private or public entities for health care services; revises provisions re cost-effective purchasing of health care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856

05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)

H 0441 GENERAL BILL by Brown; (CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Bullard; Farkas; Green; Greenstein; Henriquez; Murman; Murzin; Spratt; Stansel (CS by Appropriations) (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, Compare H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, S 1746) Rural Hospitals; revises term "rural hospital"; provides exemption for statutory rural hospital or not-for-profit operator of rural hospitals from certificate-of-need review for construction of new or replacement facility; excludes infants born in certain family practice teaching hospitals from assessments used to fund Fla. Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/CS/SB 250; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258) -HJ 00848

H 0539 GENERAL BILL by Hogan (Identical S 1746, Compare H 0441, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400) Birth-Related Neurological Injury; provides that assessments for Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan shall not be required for children born in family practice teaching hospital; updates terminology; provides for retroactive application. Amends 766.314. Effective Date: Upon becoming law. 02/26/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Services (HC); Health Care; Finance & Tax 03/04/03 HOUSE Withdrawn from Health Services (HC); Health Care;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 0539 (Continued)
03/04/03 HOUSE Finance & Tax; Withdrawn prior to introduction, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258) -HJ 00057
- H 1871 GENERAL BILL by The Future of Florida's Families; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino (CS by Appropriations) (Compare H 1891, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568)
Long-term Care Services; provides that certain prior offenses shall be considered in conducting employment screening, notwithstanding provisions of specified provision; requires applicants for licensure as nursing home to provide proof of legal right to occupy property; provides alternative method of providing notice to assisted living facility that license must be renewed; provides for deposit of civil monetary fines, etc. Amends Chs. 400, 408, 409.9116, 430.502. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/24/03 HOUSE Favorable with CS amendment by- Appropriations; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -HJ 00652
04/28/03 HOUSE Pending review of CS -under Rule 6.3(b)
05/02/03 HOUSE Died pending review of CS under Rule 6, L/I/S/C passed, refer to CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)
- H 1891 GENERAL BILL by The Future of Florida's Families; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Green; Sobel (CS by Appropriations) (Similar CS/3RD ENG/S 2568, Compare H 1397, 1ST ENG/H 1621, H 1871, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1782, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822, CS/2ND ENG/S 2150, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, S 2766, S 2804)
Disabled, Vulnerable, or Elderly; allows administration of medication by certain unlicensed staff for persons with developmental disabilities; allows administration of medication by certain unlicensed staff in nursing homes & related health care facilities for persons with developmental disabilities; provides training requirements for parents appointed as guardians of property of their minor children; creates Guardianship Task Force, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/30/03 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00879; Temporarily postponed on second reading; On Unfinished Business -HJ 00879
05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57), CS/SB 1822 (Ch. 2003-262), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279)
- H 1901 GENERAL BILL by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0433, CS/1ST ENG/S 0390, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/CS/S 2738)
Health Care; excludes hearings conducted by AHCA from certain administrative law judge assignment requirements; designates agency's Fair Hearings Office as entity initiating & conducting

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1901 (Continued)
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 04/18/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00413
 04/22/03 HOUSE Referred to Calendar -HJ 00463
 05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)
- H 1925 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0441, H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 0657, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 1481, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1294, S 1746, S 1912, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/S 2618, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738, CS/S 2750, S 2780)
Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain medications without valid professional relationship; increases threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
 05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01056
 05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258), CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)
- S 0250 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Jones; Klein; Saunders; Fasano; Argenziano (Similar H 0441, Compare H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, S 1746)
Rural Hospitals; revises definition of term "rural hospital"; authorizes exemptions from certificate-of-need review for construction of new or replacement facility for rural hospital; provides conditions for eligibility for exemption; expands definition of term "infant delivered" for purposes of payment of initial assessment for each infant delivered in hospital. Amends 395.602, 408.07, 766.314; creates 395.6025. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
 05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057
 06/12/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 06/26/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-258
- S 1746 GENERAL BILL by Webster (Identical H 0539, Compare H 0441, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400)
Birth-Related Neurological Injury; provides that assessments for Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan shall not be required for children born in family practice teaching

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- S 1746 (Continued)
hospital; updates terminology; provides for retroactive application. Amends 766.314. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
02/28/03 SENATE Prefiled
03/05/03 SENATE Withdrawn prior to
introduction, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to
CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258) -SJ 00161
- S 2330 GENERAL BILL/CS by Criminal Justice; Saunders (Compare
CS/CS/S 0400)
Employment Background Screening; provides that certain prior
offenses shall be considered in conducting employment screening,
notwithstanding provisions of specified provisions; provides that
provisions governing background screening of persons involved with
health care services pools shall not stand repealed; provides
additional criminal offenses & deletes offense that would
disqualify person subject to level 1 screening standards from
employment, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on
Calendar
- S 2568 GENERAL BILL/CS/3RD ENG by Children and Families; Lynn (Similar
H 1891, Compare H 1397, 1ST ENG/H 1621, H 1871, CS/CS/S 0400,
CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1782, CS/2ND
ENG/S 1822, CS/2ND ENG/S 2150, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/2ND
ENG/S 2404, S 2766, S 2804)
Disabled, Vulnerable, or Elderly; allows administration of
medication by certain unlicensed staff for persons with
developmental disabilities; allows administration of medication by
certain unlicensed staff in nursing homes & related health care
facilities for persons with developmental disabilities; provides
training requirements for parents appointed as guardians of
property of their minor children; creates Guardianship Task Force,
etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/30/2003.
05/02/03 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01144
05/20/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/30/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-57; See also
CS/SB 1822 (Ch. 2003-262), CS/SB 2404 (Ch.
2003-279)
- S 2738 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term
Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0537,
H 1481, H 1831, H 1901, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/S 0476,
CS/CS/S 0696, CS/S 1294, CS/2ND ENG/S 1772, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312,
S 2698, CS/S 2750, S 2780)
Public Health; establishes Div. of Disability Determinations within
Health Dept. & renames Div. of Emergency Medical Services &
Community Health Resources & Div. of Health Awareness & Tobacco;
provides for environmental health services to include
investigations of elevated blood lead levels; authorizes agencies

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 2738 (Continued)

to establish employee health & wellness programs; authorizes agency to contract with private or public entities for health care services, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856

05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

S 0560 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Saunders; Peaden (Compare H 1129, H 1271, H 1435, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/S 2080, S 2570) Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINES CS/CS/S560,CS/2080) authorizes health care providers to form commercial self-insurance fund; provides that insurer may not require arbitration of rate filing for medical malpractice; authorizes purchase of insurance by certain health care providers; requires Insurance Regulation Office to require health care providers to annually publish certain rate comparison information, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/24/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 00538

04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

H 1129 GENERAL BILL by Gelber (Compare H 1271, H 1435, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/S 2080)

Health Care Insurance; deletes exclusion from application of deceptive & unfair trade practices provisions to DOI; provides that certain consumer protection laws apply to business of insurance; specifies nonapplication to professional medical malpractice insurance; revises certain authorized actions multiple insurers may engage in together; deletes prohibition against forming medical malpractice self-insurance fund, etc. Amends Chs. 501, 624, 627. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00091

03/07/03 HOUSE Referred to Insurance Regulation (IN); Insurance; Judiciary; Procedures -HJ 00166

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance Regulation (IN)

H 1271 GENERAL BILL by Bucher (Compare H 1129, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/S 2080, S 2570)

Insurance/Consumer Protection Laws; provides applicability of specified consumer protection laws to business of insurance; revises procedures, requirements, & limitations for filing & setting rates, rate schedules, & rating manuals; provides responsibilities of Insurance Reg. Office; prohibits issuance of certain types of insurance policies without also issuing medical malpractice insurance to health care providers, etc. Creates 624.156, 627.351,.352; amends 627.062, 501.212. Effective Date:

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

H 1271 (Continued)
Upon becoming law.
03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00100
03/17/03 HOUSE Referred to Insurance; Judiciary -HJ 00221
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance

H 1435 GENERAL BILL by Robaina; (CO-SPONSORS) Rivera (Compare H 1129, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560)
Medical Malpractice Insurance Reform; creates medical mutual insurance company; provides for hiring of administrator & for that administrator to act as chief executive officer; requires administrator to develop medical malpractice risk management program; provides for medical malpractice risk management plans; provides for premium effect of compliance with program; prohibits company from receiving certain appropriations, etc. Amends Chs. 627, 766.314. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/06/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00144
03/14/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Access & Financing (IN); Insurance; Judiciary; Appropriations -HJ 00222
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Access & Financing (IN)

H 1713 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Farkas; Homan (Linked H 1905, Compare H 0971, H 1271, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/S 1154, S 1912, S 2120, S 2570, CS/S 2750)
Medical Incidents; deletes requirement that persons act in good faith to avoid liability or discipline for their actions re awarding of staff membership or clinical privileges; requires hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, & mobile surgical facilities to establish patient safety plans & committees; increases amount of paid liability claims requiring investigation by Health Dept.; creates Health Care Professional Liability Ins. Facility, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/25/03 SENATE In Messages
03/27/03 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00292
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care

S 2080 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Peaden (Compare H 1129, H 1271, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560)
Health Care Insurance; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/CS/CS/S560,CS/S2080) deletes exclusion from application of deceptive & unfair trade practices provisions to DOI; provides that certain consumer protection laws apply to business of insurance; authorizes health care providers to form commercial self-insurance fund; revises certain authorized actions multiple insurers may engage in together, etc. Amends Chs. 501, 624, 627. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 2080 (Continued)

04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 560; CS/CS by Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/CS/SB 560 (Died in House Messages)

S 2570 GENERAL BILL by Geller (Compare H 0531, H 1271, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, S 0636, S 0708, S 0734, CS/S 1308) Insurance Rate Standards; conforms provisions re regulation by Insurance Regulation Office; provides for director of that office to establish rates prior to their taking effect; provides procedures for such filings; prohibits certain judgments or settlements involving bad faith actions or punitive damages from being included in insurer's rate base or used to justify rate change; requires certain underwriting rules to be filed, etc. Amends 627.062. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/04/03 SENATE Filed
03/27/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Judiciary -SJ 00285
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance

S 0562 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; Peaden (Linked CS/CS/S 0566, Compare H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 1912, CS/S 2750) Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINES CS/CS/S562,1912) allows board within Health Dept. to appoint administrative law judge or hearing officer who has certain expertise to hear case involving standard of care; creates Fla. Center for Excellence in Health Care; requires development of statewide electronic infrastructure to improve patient care & delivery & quality of health care services, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$1,139,908. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
04/24/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 00540
04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

S 0566 PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Judiciary; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, S 1912, Compare H 1647) Patient Records/Pub. Rec. & Meetings; provides that patient records obtained by & other documents identifying patient by name & contained in patient safety data held by Florida Center for Excellence in Health Care are exempt from public-record requirements; provides that meetings held by center at which such information is discussed are exempt from public-meeting requirements; provides for future legislative review & repeal, etc. Creates 381.04091. Effective Date: Contingent.
04/24/03 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00541

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 0566 (Continued)

04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

H 1647 GENERAL BILL by Peterman (Similar S 1912, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/S 0566, CS/S 2750) Health Care; provides for discounted medical liability insurance based on certification of certain programs; requires licensed facility to notify AHCA of certain actions; provides for nurse-to-patient ratio; provides for peer review & discipline of physician for staff abuse; requires Insurance Reg. Office to publish certain annual report re HMO's on its website; provides grounds for medical physician disciplinary actions, etc. Amends Chs. 395, 456, 458, 459. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/11/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00180

03/17/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Standards (HC); Health Care; State Administration; Appropriations -HJ 00224

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Standards (HC)

H 1713 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Farkas; Homan (Linked H 1905, Compare H 0971, H 1271, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/S 1154, S 1912, S 2120, S 2570, CS/S 2750)

Medical Incidents; deletes requirement that persons act in good faith to avoid liability or discipline for their actions re awarding of staff membership or clinical privileges; requires hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, & mobile surgical facilities to establish patient safety plans & committees; increases amount of paid liability claims requiring investigation by Health Dept.; creates Health Care Professional Liability Ins. Facility, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/25/03 SENATE In Messages

03/27/03 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00292

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care

H 1925 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0441, H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 0657, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 1481, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1294, S 1746, S 1912, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/S 2618, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738, CS/S 2750, S 2780)

Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain medications without valid professional relationship; increases

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1925 (Continued)
threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01056
05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250
(Ch. 2003-258), CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)
- S 1912 GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Linked CS/CS/S 0566, Similar H 1647,
Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562,
CS/S 2750)
Health Care; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/CS/CS/S562,1912) provides
for discounted medical liability insurance based on certification
of programs that reduce adverse incidents; requires licensed
facility to notify AHCA of actions filed against facility or health
care practitioners for whom it assumes liability; requires
facilities to establish nurse-to-patient ratio based upon specified
methodology, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 562; CS/CS by
Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425; Original
bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/CS/SB
562 (Died in House Messages)
- S 2750 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden;
(CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1527, H 1647, 1ST
ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST
ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/S 1116, S 1912, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/S 2618, CS/CS/S 2738)
Health Care; provides for Health Dept. rather than CFS Dept. to
manage Raymond C. Philips Research & Education Unit; revises
standard under which patient's access to his or her own clinical
records may be restricted; provides for release of certain nursing
home resident records to Health Dept. pursuant to subpoena;
provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric
specialists, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$157,017. Effective
Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
05/01/03 SENATE Amendment pending -SJ 00878
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on
Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB
1527 (Ch. 2003-271)
- S 0564 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health,
Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; Peaden (Compare H 0971,
H 1329, S 2120, S 2620)
Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINES CS/CS/S564,2120,2620)
revises requirements for set offs against damages in medical
malpractice actions if there is written release or covenant not to
sue; revises requirements for presuit notice & insurer or
self-insurer response to claim; requires claimant to execute

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

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medical release to authorize defendants in medical negligence actions to take unsworn statements from claimant's treating physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/24/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 34 NAYS 6 -SJ 00541

04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

H 0971 GENERAL BILL by Mahon (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0564, S 2120)

Medical Negligence; provides criteria for expert witness giving certain testimony; prohibits certain policies which discourage providing expert testimony as against public policy; increases automatic extension of statute of limitations in certain medical negligence cases; provides additional requirements re notice before filing action for medical malpractice; provides for mandatory mediation, etc. Amends Ch. 766. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00082

03/07/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Access & Financing (IN); Insurance; Judiciary; Health Appropriations (AP); Appropriations -HJ 00165

H 1329 05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Access & Financing (IN)
GENERAL BILL by Green (Compare CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0564, S 2620)
Access to Emergency Medical Service; creates "Access to Emergency Medical Services & Care Act"; provides requirements for contracts between providers of emergency services & care & governmental contractors for purpose of providing said services & care; requires Risk Management Div. of DOI to compile annual report & submit it to Legislature; provides requirements pertaining to presuit investigation of medical negligence claims, etc. Creates 766.116; amends 766.102,.203, 768.13. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

03/06/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00137

03/11/03 HOUSE Referred to Insurance; Judiciary; Health Care -HJ 00184

S 2120 05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance
GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare H 0971, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0564)

Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/CS/CS/S564,2120,2620) revises required criteria for expert witness to give expert testimony concerning prevailing professional standard of care; revises required criteria for expert witness to give testimony concerning general practitioner; increases period for extending statute of limitations in medical negligence case, etc. Amends Ch. 766. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 564 & SB 2620; CS/CS by Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 2120 (Continued)

04/09/03 SENATE Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined
CS/CS/CS/SB 564 (Died in House Messages)

S 2620 GENERAL BILL by Saunders (Compare H 1329, CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0564)
Emergency Health Care Providers; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN
CS/CS/CS/S564,2120,2620) provides penalties for failure of
receiving facilities to indemnify state & for failure of hospitals
to indemnify state; provides grounds for which licensed life
support service or certified emergency medical technician or
paramedic may be subject to discipline; provides grounds for which
health care practitioner may be subject to discipline for failure
to indemnify state, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming
law.

04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 564 & SB 2120;
CS/CS by Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425;
Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined
CS/CS/CS/SB 564 (Died in House Messages)

S 0690 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden

Children/Hepatitis A Immunization; requires that children in
certain counties be immunized for hepatitis A & encourages their
immunization in other counties. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

03/04/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and
Long-Term Care; Education; Appropriations
Subcommittee on Health and Human Services;
Appropriations -SJ 00041; On Committee agenda--
Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, 03/05/03, 12:30
pm, 412-K --Temporarily postponed

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term
Care

S 1154 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden
(Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713)

Healthcare Prof. Liability Insurance; creates Health Care
Professional Liability Insurance Facility; provides for governance
by board of governors; provides for facility to provide excess
liability insurance for certain health care professionals; provides
for premiums; provides for regulation by Insurance Regulation
Office of Financial Services Commission; provides applicability;
provides for debt & regulation thereof; authorizes said office to
adopt rules, etc. Creates 627.3575. Effective Date: upon becoming
law.

04/03/03 SENATE Favorable by Banking and Insurance; YEAS 11
NAYS 0 -SJ 00341; Now in Judiciary -SJ 00341

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary

H 1713 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Farkas;

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

H 1713 (Continued)

Homan (Linked H 1905, Compare H 0971, H 1271, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/S 1154, S 1912, S 2120, S 2570, CS/S 2750)

Medical Incidents; deletes requirement that persons act in good faith to avoid liability or discipline for their actions re awarding of staff membership or clinical privileges; requires hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, & mobile surgical facilities to establish patient safety plans & committees; increases amount of paid liability claims requiring investigation by Health Dept.; creates Health Care Professional Liability Ins. Facility, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/25/03 SENATE In Messages

03/27/03 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00292

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care

S 1156 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden

Environmental Protection; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re environmental protection. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

02/26/03 SENATE Referred to Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar

03/04/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Natural Resources; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00062

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Natural Resources

S 1158 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden

Children & Family Services Dept.; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re Children & Family Services Dept. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

02/26/03 SENATE Referred to Children and Families; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar

03/04/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Children and Families; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00062

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families

**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 1178 **RESOLUTION by Peaden (Similar H 9003)

Osteopathic Physicians; commends osteopathic physicians of this state for their contributions to health & welfare of residents of this state & recognizes April 2, 2003, as Osteopathic Medicine Day.
02/12/03 SENATE Prefiled
04/02/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00295; Adopted; See also HR 9003
(Adopted) -SJ 00296

H 9003 RESOLUTION by Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Gottlieb; Kravitz; Richardson (Similar S 1178)

Osteopathic Physicians; commends osteopathic physicians of Florida for their contributions to health & welfare of residents of this state & recognizes April 2, 2003, as "Osteopathic Medicine Day."
04/01/03 HOUSE Placed on Ceremonial Resolutions Calendar -
Publication only -HJ 00288; Read second time
-HJ 00288; Adopted; See also SR 1178 (Adopted)
-HJ 00288

S 1180 **MEMORIAL by Peaden (Similar H 1077)

Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit; urges Congress to enact financially sustainable, voluntary, universal, & privately administered out-patient prescription drug coverage as part of federal Medicare program.
05/01/03 HOUSE Adopted -HJ 00979
05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057
06/19/03 Signed by Officers and filed with Secretary of State

H 1077 MEMORIAL by Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Galvano; Homan; Kilmer; Reagan; Stargel; Troutman (Similar S 1180)

Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit; urges Congress to enact financially sustainable, voluntary, universal, & privately administered outpatient prescription drug coverage as part of federal Medicare program.
05/01/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted SB 1180; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SM 1180 (Adopted) -HJ 00978

S 1374 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Peaden (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1157)

Administrative Procedures; eliminates Internet publication pilot project; defines terms; provides that notices required to be published in Fla. Administrative Weekly by DEP & Board of Trustees of Internal Improvement TF shall be published on Internet website; directs Dept. of State to publish statement in Fla. Administrative Weekly that indicates Internet website address; provides for future repeal of section, etc. Amends 120.551. Effective Date: 06/12/2003.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 1374 *(Continued)

05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01163

05/29/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/12/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-145

H 1157 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Murzin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1374, Compare CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1584)

Agency Rules/DEP; provides that DEP on its own behalf & on behalf of Board of Trustees of Internal Improvement Trust Fund shall publish its notices on Internet rather than by publication in Fla. Administrative Weekly; requires Dept. of State to publish specific URL or Internet address for such notices; eliminates duplicative pilot project which is scheduled to terminate; provides for filing of objections by affected persons, etc. Amends 120.551,.54.

Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/30/03 HOUSE Ordered engrossed -HJ 00847

05/02/03 HOUSE Substituted CS/SB 1374; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1374 (Ch. 2003-145), CS/CS/SB 1584 (Ch. 2003-94)
-HJ 01084

S 1428 *GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden (Similar H 0413, H 1281)

Medicaid Audits of Pharmacies; provides requirements for audit conducted of Medicaid-related records of pharmacy licensed under Pharmacy law; requires that pharmacist be provided prior notice of audit; provides that pharmacist is not subject to criminal penalties without proof of intent to commit fraud; requires that AHCA establish procedure for conducting preliminary review; exempts certain audits conducted by Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept., etc. Effective Date: 07/11/2003.

05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01163

06/30/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

07/11/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-277

H 0413 GENERAL BILL by Brown; (CO-SPONSORS) Evers; Planas; Prieguez (CS by Health Care) (Similar H 1281, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1428)

Medicaid Audits of Pharmacies; provides requirements for audit conducted of Medicaid-related records of pharmacy licensed under Pharmacy law; requires that pharmacist be provided prior notice of audit; provides that pharmacist is not subject to criminal penalties without proof of intent to commit fraud; provides for delivery of preliminary & final audit reports; exempts certain audits conducted by Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept., etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/02/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/CS/SB 1428; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1428 (Ch. 2003-277)
-HJ 01094

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1281 GENERAL BILL by Prieguez; (CO-SPONSORS) Planas; Rivera (Similar H 0413, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1428)
Medicaid Audits of Pharmacies; provides requirements for audit conducted of Medicaid-related records of pharmacy licensed under Pharmacy law; requires that pharmacist be provided prior notice of audit; provides that pharmacist is not subject to criminal penalties without proof of intent to commit fraud; requires that AHCA establish procedure for conducting preliminary review; exempts certain audits conducted by Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept., etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00100
03/07/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Standards (HC); Health Care -HJ 00168
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Standards (HC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1428 (Ch. 2003-277)
- S 1912 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Linked CS/CS/S 0566, Similar H 1647, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/S 2750)
Health Care; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/CS/CS/S562,1912) provides for discounted medical liability insurance based on certification of programs that reduce adverse incidents; requires licensed facility to notify AHCA of actions filed against facility or health care practitioners for whom it assumes liability; requires facilities to establish nurse-to-patient ratio based upon specified methodology, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 562; CS/CS by Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/CS/SB 562 (Died in House Messages)
- S 0566 PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Judiciary; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Linked CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, S 1912, Compare H 1647)
Patient Records/Pub. Rec. & Meetings; provides that patient records obtained by & other documents identifying patient by name & contained in patient safety data held by Florida Center for Excellence in Health Care are exempt from public-record requirements; provides that meetings held by center at which such information is discussed are exempt from public-meeting requirements; provides for future legislative review & repeal, etc. Creates 381.04091. Effective Date: Contingent.
04/24/03 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00541
04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages
- H 1647 GENERAL BILL by Peterman (Similar S 1912, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/S 0566, CS/S 2750)
Health Care; provides for discounted medical liability insurance

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1647 (Continued)
 based on certification of certain programs; requires licensed facility to notify AHCA of certain actions; provides for nurse-to-patient ratio; provides for peer review & discipline of physician for staff abuse; requires Insurance Reg. Office to publish certain annual report re HMO's on its website; provides grounds for medical physician disciplinary actions, etc. Amends Chs. 395, 456, 458, 459. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
 03/11/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00180
 03/17/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Standards (HC); Health Care; State Administration; Appropriations -HJ 00224
- H 1713
 05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Standards (HC)
 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Farkas; Homan (Linked H 1905, Compare H 0971, H 1271, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/S 1154, S 1912, S 2120, S 2570, CS/S 2750)
Medical Incidents; deletes requirement that persons act in good faith to avoid liability or discipline for their actions re awarding of staff membership or clinical privileges; requires hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, & mobile surgical facilities to establish patient safety plans & committees; increases amount of paid liability claims requiring investigation by Health Dept.; creates Health Care Professional Liability Ins. Facility, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
 03/25/03 SENATE In Messages
 03/27/03 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00292
 05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care
- H 1925
 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0441, H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 0657, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 1481, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1294, S 1746, S 1912, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/S 2618, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738, CS/S 2750, S 2780)
Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain medications without valid professional relationship; increases threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
 05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01056
 05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages,
 Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

H 1925 (Continued)

05/02/03 SENATE (Ch. 2003-258), CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

S 0562 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; Peaden (Linked CS/CS/S 0566, Compare H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 1912, CS/S 2750) Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINES CS/CS/S562,1912) allows board within Health Dept. to appoint administrative law judge or hearing officer who has certain expertise to hear case involving standard of care; creates Fla. Center for Excellence in Health Care; requires development of statewide electronic infrastructure to improve patient care & delivery & quality of health care services, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$1,139,908. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/24/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 00540

04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

S 2750 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1527, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/S 1116, S 1912, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/S 2618, CS/CS/S 2738) Health Care; provides for Health Dept. rather than CFS Dept. to manage Raymond C. Philips Research & Education Unit; revises standard under which patient's access to his or her own clinical records may be restricted; provides for release of certain nursing home resident records to Health Dept. pursuant to subpoena; provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric specialists, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$157,017. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/01/03 SENATE Amendment pending -SJ 00878

05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1527 (Ch. 2003-271)

S 1918 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare H 0433, H 1901, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404) Mental Health & Substance Abuse; provides legislative intent re provision of mental health & substance abuse services through creation of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services Agency within CFS Dept.; provides the mission of agency; requires agency to develop strategic plan & collaborative agreements with state agencies; provides for Division Director for Mental Health & Division Director for Substance Abuse, etc. Creates 394.95; amends 394.741, 409.912; reenacts various FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

03/18/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Children and Families;

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03/18/03 SENATE Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00196

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279)

H 0433 GENERAL BILL by Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino (CS by Appropriations) (Compare H 1397, H 1901, CS/CS/S 0700, S 1114, S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404)
Behavioral Health; requires Secretary of CFS to appoint assistant secretary for behavioral health services; provides for establishment of Behavioral Health Services Board; requires AHCA to seek federal approval to contract with single entity to provide comprehensive behavioral health care services to Medicaid recipients; requires AHCA to submit plan for full implementation of capitated prepaid behavioral health care in all areas of state, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB 2404; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279) -HJ 00848

H 1901 GENERAL BILL by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0433, CS/1ST ENG/S 0390, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/CS/S 2738)
Health Care; excludes hearings conducted by AHCA from certain administrative law judge assignment requirements; designates agency's Fair Hearings Office as entity initiating & conducting certain hearings; provides for prepaid health plan for Medicaid HIV/AIDS recipients; requires agency to ensure certain provider choice for Medicaid recipients; requires display of expiration date of prescribed drugs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/18/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00413

04/22/03 HOUSE Referred to Calendar -HJ 00463

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

S 0700 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Children and Families; Lynn; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Wise; Bullard (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, Compare H 0433, H 1397, H 1891, H 1901, S 1114, S 1918, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568)

Children & Family Services Dept.; creates Fla. Substance Abuse & Mental Health Board, Inc., which shall be administratively housed within CFS Dept.; directs other agencies to cooperate in development of evaluation & report; authorizes CFS Dept. to adopt by rule new payment methodologies & to eliminate unit-based

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

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- S 0700 (Continued)
methodologies for mental health & substance abuse services;
establishes data system requirements, etc. Amends Ch. 394, 20.19,
409.912. Appropriation: \$250,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming
law except as otherwise provided.
05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on
Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to
CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)
- S 2404 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Children and Families; Lynn (Similar
CS/CS/S 0700, Compare H 0433, H 1397, H 1891, H 1901, S 1114,
S 1918, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568)
Substance Abuse & Mental Health; authorizes CFS Dept. to adopt by
rule new payment methodologies & to eliminate unit-based
methodologies for mental health & substance abuse services; creates
Florida Substance Abuse & Mental Health Corporation, Inc.; provides
for establishment of single managing entity for delivery of
substance abuse services to child protective services recipients in
specified districts of department, etc. Amends Chs. 20, 394,
409.912. Effective Date: 07/11/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057
06/30/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
07/11/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-279; See
also CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)
- S 1922 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden
State Contracts for Pharmaceuticals; expresses legislative intent
to enact legislation re state contracts for pharmaceuticals.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/04/03 SENATE Filed
03/18/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and
Long-Term Care; Governmental Oversight and
Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health
and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and
Calendar -SJ 00197
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term
Care
- S 1942 **PUBLIC RECORDS/GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term
Care; Peaden
Physician/Adverse Incident/Pub. Rec.; provides exemptions from
public-records requirements for information contained in reports
made by physicians of adverse incidents occurring in office
practice settings; provides for future review & repeal; provides
findings of public necessity. Creates 458.353, 459.028. Effective
Date: Upon becoming law.

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

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04/24/03 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 00542

04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

S 2020 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Haridopolos (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0723, 1ST ENG/H 1573, H 1901, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/S 1796, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678)

Health Flex Plans; revises definition of term "health flex plans"; authorizes plans to limit term of coverage; extends required period without coverage before one is eligible to participate; extends expiration date for program; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program; provides for retroactive application. Amends 408.909, 409.904. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 HOUSE Returned -HJ 01066

05/02/03 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9)

H 0723 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Llorente; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Hasner; Homan; Planas; Rivera; Robaina; Zapata (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0999, 1ST ENG/H 1573, CS/S 1796, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2264) Health Insurance; authorizes health flex plans to limit coverage under certain circumstances; requires policies of insurers offering coverage of dependent children to maintain such coverage until child reaches age 25, under certain circumstances; provides for payment of claims to nonnetwork providers under specified conditions; deletes 18th birthday age limitation on application of certain dependent coverage requirements, etc. Amends Chs. 627, 641, 408.909. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 101 NAYS 0 -HJ 01112

05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2264 (Ch. 2003-139)

H 1573 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Farkas (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0723, 1ST ENG/H 0999, H 1657, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1796, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2264, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390)

Health Insurance; requires certain licensed facilities to make certain information public electronically; requires electronic link to agency website; requires certain health care facilities to provide patients with reasonable estimates of prospective charges; authorizes plans to limit term of coverage; extends required period without coverage before participation eligibility, etc. Amends Chs.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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- H 1573 (Continued)
395, 408, 627, 641. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.
04/30/03 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 00905
05/01/03 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 00987
05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2264 (Ch. 2003-139)
- H 1901 GENERAL BILL by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0433, CS/1ST ENG/S 0390, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/CS/S 2738)
Health Care; excludes hearings conducted by AHCA from certain administrative law judge assignment requirements; designates agency's Fair Hearings Office as entity initiating & conducting certain hearings; provides for prepaid health plan for Medicaid HIV/AIDS recipients; requires agency to ensure certain provider choice for Medicaid recipients; requires display of expiration date of prescribed drugs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
04/18/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00413
04/22/03 HOUSE Referred to Calendar -HJ 00463
05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)
- S 1252 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/3RD ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Bennett; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1105, Compare H 1083, H 1901, H 1931, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/S 2132, CS/2ND ENG/S 2150, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678)
Health Care Facilities; allows nursing homes to convert beds to alternative uses as specified; provides restrictions on uses of funding under assisted-living Medicaid waivers; revises requirements for facility's report to agency on adverse incidents; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/03 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 92 NAYS 19 -HJ 01063
05/02/03 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9)
- S 1796 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Campbell (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0723, 1ST ENG/H 0999, 1ST ENG/H 1573, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2264, CS/2ND ENG/S 2364)
Health Insurance; requires certain licensed facilities to make certain info public electronically; revises definition of term "health flex plan"; provides for reinsurance under workers' comp

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

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insurance policy; specifies nonapplication of certain health maintenance contract filing requirements to certain group health insurance policies, with exceptions; requires that specific reasons for denial of coverage be provided, etc. Amends Chs. 395, 408, 624, 627, 641. Effective Date: 07/1/2003.

04/22/03 SENATE CS read first time on 04/24/03 -SJ 00580

04/24/03 SENATE Now in Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care -SJ 00575

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2264 (Ch. 2003-139), CS/SB 2364 (Ch. 2003-267)

S 2322 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lee; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise (Compare H 1901, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678) Medically Needy Program; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program; provides for retroactive application. Amends 409.904. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 05/01/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01057

05/01/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

-SJ 01057; Approved by Governor;

Chapter No. 2003-9; See also SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

-SJ 01057

S 2390 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Aronberg (Linked CS/2ND ENG/S 1784, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, Compare H 0289, 1ST ENG/H 0363, 1ST ENG/H 0657, H 0761, H 0845, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 0989, H 0997, 1ST ENG/H 1553, 1ST ENG/H 1573, H 1891, H 1901, 1ST ENG/S 0530, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/S 1714, CS/S 1928, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/S 2084, 2ND ENG/S 2142, S 2180, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/S 2750)

Health Care; creates James & Esther King Center for Universal Research to Eradicate Disease; provides requirements for filing of prescriptions by pharmacies that are under common ownership or that have contractual relationship with one another; prohibits modification of anatomical gift donor's intent; provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric specialists & that said specialists shall be considered licensed nursing staff, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$24,851,657. Effective Date: Contingent.

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

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05/01/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00876

05/01/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 761 (Ch. 2003-187), HB 1553 (Ch. 2003-27), SB 530 (Ch. 2003-46), CS/SB 2084 (Ch. 2003-41), CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), HB 85-B (Ch. 2003-414)

S 2678 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar H 0743, Compare H 1901, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390)

Health Care Practice Parameters; repeals provisions re practice parameters; provides for practice parameters & protocols; amends provisions re worker's compensation managed care plans & health insurance policy coverage for mammograms; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program, etc. Amends 409.904, 440.13, .134, 627.6418, .6613; repeals 408.02. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/29/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 40 NAYS 0 -SJ 00717

04/29/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9)

S 2080 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Peaden (Compare H 1129, H 1271, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560)

Health Care Insurance; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/CS/CS/S560, CS/S2080) deletes exclusion from application of deceptive & unfair trade practices provisions to DOI; provides that certain consumer protection laws apply to business of insurance; authorizes health care providers to form commercial self-insurance fund; revises certain authorized actions multiple insurers may engage in together, etc. Amends Chs. 501, 624, 627. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 560; CS/CS by Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/CS/SB 560 (Died in House Messages)

H 1129 GENERAL BILL by Gelber (Compare H 1271, H 1435, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/S 2080)

Health Care Insurance; deletes exclusion from application of deceptive & unfair trade practices provisions to DOI; provides that certain consumer protection laws apply to business of insurance; specifies nonapplication to professional medical malpractice insurance; revises certain authorized actions multiple insurers may

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

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engage in together; deletes prohibition against forming medical malpractice self-insurance fund, etc. Amends Chs. 501, 624, 627. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00091
03/07/03 HOUSE Referred to Insurance Regulation (IN); Insurance; Judiciary; Procedures -HJ 00166
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance Regulation (IN)
- H 1271 GENERAL BILL by Bucher (Compare H 1129, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/S 2080, S 2570)
Insurance/Consumer Protection Laws; provides applicability of specified consumer protection laws to business of insurance; revises procedures, requirements, & limitations for filing & setting rates, rate schedules, & rating manuals; provides responsibilities of Insurance Reg. Office; prohibits issuance of certain types of insurance policies without also issuing medical malpractice insurance to health care providers, etc. Creates 624.156, 627.351,.352; amends 627.062, 501.212. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00100
03/17/03 HOUSE Referred to Insurance; Judiciary -HJ 00221
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance
- S 0560 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Saunders; Peaden (Compare H 1129, H 1271, H 1435, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/S 2080, S 2570)
Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINES CS/CS/S560,CS/2080) authorizes health care providers to form commercial self-insurance fund; provides that insurer may not require arbitration of rate filing for medical malpractice; authorizes purchase of insurance by certain health care providers; requires Insurance Regulation Office to require health care providers to annually publish certain rate comparison information, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
04/24/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 00538
04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages
- S 2120 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare H 0971, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0564)
Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/CS/CS/S564,2120,2620) revises required criteria for expert witness to give expert testimony concerning prevailing professional standard of care; revises required criteria for expert witness to give testimony concerning general practitioner; increases period for extending statute of limitations in medical negligence case, etc. Amends Ch. 766. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

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04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 564 & SB 2620;
CS/CS by Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425;
Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined
CS/CS/CS/SB 564 (Died in House Messages)

H 0971 GENERAL BILL by Mahon (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/CS/2ND
ENG/S 0564, S 2120)

Medical Negligence; provides criteria for expert witness giving
certain testimony; prohibits certain policies which discourage
providing expert testimony as against public policy; increases
automatic extension of statute of limitations in certain medical
negligence cases; provides additional requirements re notice before
filing action for medical malpractice; provides for mandatory
mediation, etc. Amends Ch. 766. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except
as otherwise provided.

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00082

03/07/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Access & Financing (IN);
Insurance; Judiciary; Health Appropriations (AP);
Appropriations -HJ 00165

H 1713 05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Access & Financing (IN)
GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Farkas;
Homan (Linked H 1905, Compare H 0971, H 1271, H 1647, 1ST
ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562,
CS/S 1154, S 1912, S 2120, S 2570, CS/S 2750)

Medical Incidents; deletes requirement that persons act in good
faith to avoid liability or discipline for their actions re
awarding of staff membership or clinical privileges; requires
hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, & mobile surgical
facilities to establish patient safety plans & committees;
increases amount of paid liability claims requiring investigation
by Health Dept.; creates Health Care Professional Liability Ins.
Facility, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/25/03 SENATE In Messages

03/27/03 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term
Care; Judiciary; Banking and Insurance;
Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government;
Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00292

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term
Care

S 0564 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health,
Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; Peaden (Compare H 0971,
H 1329, S 2120, S 2620)

Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINES CS/CS/S564,2120,2620)
revises requirements for set offs against damages in medical
malpractice actions if there is written release or covenant not to
sue; revises requirements for presuit notice & insurer or
self-insurer response to claim; requires claimant to execute
medical release to authorize defendants in medical negligence

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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actions to take unsworn statements from claimant's treating physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/24/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 34 NAYS 6 -SJ 00541

04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

S 2122 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Peaden (Similar H 0091)

University Bldg. & Roads/Designation; designates renovated transplant housing unit at University of Florida's Shands Hospital as "Gerold L. Schiebler/Shands Transplant Housing Complex"; designates proposed entrance pavilion at John & Mabel Ringling Museum of Art at FSU Ringling Center for Cultural Arts in Sarasota as "John M. McKay Visitors' Pavilion"; designates FAMU Graduate School of Business & Industry as Sybil C. Mobley Graduate School of Business & Industry, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/30/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 40 NAYS 0 -SJ 00799

04/30/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

H 0091 GENERAL BILL by Sansom; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (CS by Education K-20) (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 2122)

University Bldg. & Roads/Designation; designates renovated transplant housing unit at University of Florida's Shands Hospital as "Gerold L. Schiebler/Shands Transplant Housing Complex"; designates proposed entrance pavilion at John & Mabel Ringling Museum of Art at FSU Ringling Center for Cultural Arts in Sarasota as "John M. McKay Visitors' Pavilion"; designates architecture building at FAMU as "Walter L. Smith Architecture Building", etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/16/03 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6.3(b)

04/18/03 HOUSE Now in Education Appropriations (AP) -HJ 00403

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Education Appropriations (AP)

S 2124 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Identical H 0569, Similar H 1201)

Dependent Children; requires each circuit court in state to establish system of representation for children in state custody; authorizes judicial circuits to contract with public or private entity to provide representation; requires circuit courts of state to establish system to provide representation to children in child abuse, abandonment, or neglect proceedings through appointment of guardian ad litem, etc. Amends 39.4086; creates 39.8225. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

03/18/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Judiciary; Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Article V

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

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03/18/03 SENATE Implementation and Judiciary; Appropriations
-SJ 00210

H 0569 05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary
GENERAL BILL by Gottlieb; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Bullard; Kallinger;
Roberson (Identical S 2124, Similar H 1201)
Dependent Children; requires each circuit court in state to
establish system of representation for children in state custody;
authorizes judicial circuits to contract with public or private
entity to provide representation; requires circuit courts of state
to establish system to provide representation to children in child
abuse, abandonment, or neglect proceedings through appointment of
guardian ad litem, etc. Amends 39.4086; creates 39.8225. Effective
Date: Upon becoming law.

02/26/03 HOUSE Referred to Judiciary; Children's Services (FFF);
The Future of Florida's Families; Judicial
Appropriations (AP); Appropriations

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Judiciary; Children's
Services (FFF); The Future of Florida's Families;
Judicial Appropriations (AP); Appropriations
-HJ 00058

H 1201 05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Judiciary
GENERAL BILL by Simmons (Similar H 0569, S 2124)
Guardian Ad Litem Services; provides for guardian ad litem programs
in each judicial circuit; authorizes contracts with private or
public entities for provision of guardian ad litem services;
provides requirements for statewide funding standards. Creates
39.8225. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00095

03/07/03 HOUSE Referred to Judiciary; The Future of Florida's
Families; Judicial Appropriations (AP);
Appropriations -HJ 00167

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Judiciary

S 2206 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Similar H 1341, Compare S 1950)

Florida Retirement System; includes mosquito control officers of
counties & mosquito control districts in special risk class;
restores special risk classification to certain law enforcement
officer employees of DEP & Insurance Department or their
predecessor agencies; provides for payment of increased benefits to
such officers who have retired or entered the DROP or to
beneficiaries of deceased employees; provides for funding such
increased benefits, etc. Amends Ch. 121. Effective Date: Upon
becoming law.

03/18/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Comprehensive Planning;
Governmental Oversight and Productivity;
Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government;

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03/18/03 SENATE Appropriations -SJ 00215

03/19/03 SENATE Withdrawn from Comprehensive Planning; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00226; Withdrawn from further consideration -SJ 00226

H 1341 GENERAL BILL by Evers (Similar S 1950, S 2206, Compare H 0941, S 1906)

FRS/Special Risk; includes certain members employed as Federal Aviation Administration-licensed pilots authorized to provide mosquito control services in special risk class; includes licensed practical nurses in special risk class under certain circumstances; provides exceptions; restores special risk credit for certain members; provides legislative intent re funding. Amends 121.021,.0515. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/06/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00138

03/11/03 HOUSE Referred to State Administration; Appropriations -HJ 00184

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration

S 1950 GENERAL BILL by Bennett; (CO-SPONSORS) Argenziano (Similar H 1341, Compare S 2206)

Fla. Retirement System/Special Risk; includes state & local government pilots who provide mosquito control services in special risk class; provides exceptions. Amends 121.021,.0515. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

03/18/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Comprehensive Planning; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00199

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning

S 2312 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Campbell; Atwater (Similar H 1481, S 2780, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738)

Prescription Drug Protection Act; provides legislative findings & intent re report by Seventeenth Statewide Grand Jury; prohibits purchase or sale of Rx drugs in wholesale distribution in exchange for currency; requires that Rx drug repackagers, nonresident Rx drug manufacturers, & freight forwarders obtain permit from Health Dept. in order to do business; requires Health Dept. to establish website listing all permitholders & pending enforcement actions, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01163

05/29/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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06/13/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-155

H 1481 GENERAL BILL by Homan; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Murzin; Robaina; Roberson; Sansom (CS by Health Care) (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, S 2780, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738) Prescription Drug Protection Act; provides legislative findings & intent re report by Seventeenth Statewide Grand Jury; prohibits purchase or sale of Rx drugs in wholesale distribution in exchange for currency; requires that Rx drug repackagers, nonresident Rx drug manufacturers, & freight forwarders obtain permit from Health Dept. in order to do business; requires Health Dept. to establish website listing certain wholesaler permitholders & pending enforcement, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 01103; Substituted CS/CS/SB 2312; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155) -HJ 01103

S 2780 GENERAL BILL by Campbell (Similar H 1481, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738) Prescription Drug Protection Act; provides legislative findings & intent re report by Seventeenth Statewide Grand Jury; prohibits purchase or sale of Rx drugs in wholesale distribution in exchange for currency; requires that Rx drug repackagers, nonresident Rx drug manufacturers, & freight forwarders obtain permit from Health Dept in order to do business; requires Health Dept. to establish website listing all permitholders & pending enforcement actions, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

04/10/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00390

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

H 1925 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0441, H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 0657, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 1481, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1294, S 1746, S 1912, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/S 2618, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738, CS/S 2750, S 2780) Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain

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- H 1925 (Continued)
medications without valid professional relationship; increases threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01056
05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250 (Ch. 2003-258), CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)
- S 2698 GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare H 1481, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/CS/S 2738, S 2780)
Florida Drug & Cosmetic Act; prohibits removal of dispensing label from legend drug; prohibits distribution of previously dispensed legend drug without authorization; prohibits certain transactions for cash; provides that legend drug is adulterated if certain documentation cannot be verified; authorizes DOH to issue certain permits to applicant at same address as licensed nuclear pharmacy & community pharmacy, etc. Amends Ch. 499. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
03/04/03 SENATE Filed
04/02/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Finance and Taxation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00310
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)
- S 2738 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0537, H 1481, H 1831, H 1901, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/S 0476, CS/CS/S 0696, CS/S 1294, CS/2ND ENG/S 1772, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, S 2698, CS/S 2750, S 2780)
Public Health; establishes Div. of Disability Determinations within Health Dept. & renames Div. of Emergency Medical Services & Community Health Resources & Div. of Health Awareness & Tobacco; provides for environmental health services to include investigations of elevated blood lead levels; authorizes agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; authorizes agency to contract with private or public entities for health care services, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)
- S 2322 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz

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de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lee; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise (Compare H 1901, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678) Medically Needy Program; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program; provides for retroactive application. Amends 409.904. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 05/01/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01057

05/01/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

-SJ 01057; Approved by Governor;

Chapter No. 2003-9; See also SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

-SJ 01057

H 1901 GENERAL BILL by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0433, CS/1ST ENG/S 0390, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/CS/S 2738)

Health Care; excludes hearings conducted by AHCA from certain administrative law judge assignment requirements; designates agency's Fair Hearings Office as entity initiating & conducting certain hearings; provides for prepaid health plan for Medicaid HIV/AIDS recipients; requires agency to ensure certain provider choice for Medicaid recipients; requires display of expiration date of prescribed drugs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/18/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00413

04/22/03 HOUSE Referred to Calendar -HJ 00463

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

S 1252 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/3RD ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Bennett; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1105, Compare H 1083, H 1901, H 1931, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/S 2132, CS/2ND ENG/S 2150, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678)

Health Care Facilities; allows nursing homes to convert beds to alternative uses as specified; provides restrictions on uses of funding under assisted-living Medicaid waivers; revises requirements for facility's report to agency on adverse incidents; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 92 NAYS 19 -HJ 01063

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05/02/03 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9)

S 2020 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Haridopolos (Compare 2ND ENG/H 0723, 1ST ENG/H 1573, H 1901, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/S 1796, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678) Health Flex Plans; revises definition of term "health flex plans"; authorizes plans to limit term of coverage; extends required period without coverage before one is eligible to participate; extends expiration date for program; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program; provides for retroactive application. Amends 408.909, 409.904. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 HOUSE Returned -HJ 01066

05/02/03 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9)

S 2390 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Aronberg (Linked CS/2ND ENG/S 1784, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, Compare H 0289, 1ST ENG/H 0363, 1ST ENG/H 0657, H 0761, H 0845, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 0989, H 0997, 1ST ENG/H 1553, 1ST ENG/H 1573, H 1891, H 1901, 1ST ENG/S 0530, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/S 1714, CS/S 1928, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/S 2084, 2ND ENG/S 2142, S 2180, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/S 2750)

Health Care; creates James & Esther King Center for Universal Research to Eradicate Disease; provides requirements for filing of prescriptions by pharmacies that are under common ownership or that have contractual relationship with one another; prohibits modification of anatomical gift donor's intent; provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric specialists & that said specialists shall be considered licensed nursing staff, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$24,851,657. Effective Date: Contingent.

05/01/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00876

05/01/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 761 (Ch. 2003-187), HB 1553 (Ch. 2003-27), SB 530 (Ch. 2003-46), CS/SB 2084 (Ch. 2003-41), CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), HB 85-B (Ch. 2003-414)

S 2678 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar H 0743, Compare H 1901,

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CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322,
CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390)

Health Care Practice Parameters; repeals provisions re practice parameters; provides for practice parameters & protocols; amends provisions re worker's compensation managed care plans & health insurance policy coverage for mammograms; postpones effective date of changes to standards for eligibility for certain optional medical assistance, including coverage under medically needy program, etc. Amends 409.904, 440.13,.134, 627.6418,.6613; repeals 408.02. Appropriation: \$22,498,288. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/29/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 40 NAYS 0 -SJ 00717

04/29/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9)

S 2338 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Communication and Public Utilities;

Peaden (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1123, H 1607)

Environmental Protection; adds hazardous waste, corrective action permits to list of approvals; expands materials defined as construction & demolition debris; provides additional definitions, etc. Amends 403.087,.703,.722. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/28/03 HOUSE Received, placed on Calendar -HJ 00717

04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to HB 1123 (Ch. 2003-173)

H 1123 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Clarke; (CO-SPONSORS) Antone; M. Davis; Kendrick; Spratt (Similar 1ST ENG/S 2726, S 2784, Compare H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/S 2338)

Contaminated Site Rehabilitation; extends application of risk-based corrective action principles to all contaminated sites resulting from discharge of pollutants or hazardous substances; provides for contamination cleanup criteria that incorporate risk-based corrective action principles to be adopted by rule; clarifies who may apply for tax credits & time period for use of tax credits, etc. Amends Ch. 376, 199.1055, 220.1845, 403.087,.722. Effective Date: 06/20/2003.

04/28/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00704

06/09/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/20/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-173

H 1607 GENERAL BILL by Littlefield (CS by Natural Resources) (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1123, CS/1ST ENG/S 2338)

Environmental Protection; exempts beneficial use of fossil fuel combustion products from specified regulations; provides handling, processing, & storage criteria; defines terms "fossil fuel combustion products," "beneficial use," & "fossil fuel-fired

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1607 (Continued)
electric & steam generating facility"; adds hazardous waste, corrective action permits to list of approvals, etc. Creates 403.7047; amends 403.087,.703,.722. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Temporarily postponed, on Second Reading -HJ 00814
05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1123 (Ch. 2003-173)
- S 2490 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden
Nursing Homes; expresses legislative intent to revise laws re nursing homes. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/04/03 SENATE Filed
03/24/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00246
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care
- S 2516 **RESOLUTION by Peaden (Similar H 9037)
National Kidney Month/March 2003; commends National Kidney Foundation for its many contributions & recognizes March 2003 as "National Kidney Month" in State of Florida.
03/26/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00257; Read second time -SJ 00257; Adopted; See also HR 9037 (Adopted) -SJ 00257
- H 9037 RESOLUTION by Harrell; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Green (Similar S 2516)
National Kidney Month; urges all Florida residents to become more knowledgeable of risks & symptoms of kidney diseases, & applauds volunteers & staff of National Kidney Foundation of Florida for their efforts toward preventing & curing these diseases.
03/13/03 HOUSE Introduced, placed on Calendar -HJ 00188, -HJ 00193; Read second time -HJ 00188; Adopted; See also SR 2516 (Adopted) -HJ 00188
- S 2540 **RESOLUTION by Peaden
Association for Retarded Citizens; recognizes ARC/Florida & its affiliates throughout state for their exemplary contribution & encourages their continued assistance in helping persons with disabilities.
03/04/03 SENATE Filed
03/26/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00258; Adopted -SJ 00258

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- S 2698 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare H 1481, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/CS/S 2738, S 2780)
Florida Drug & Cosmetic Act; prohibits removal of dispensing label from legend drug; prohibits distribution of previously dispensed legend drug without authorization; prohibits certain transactions for cash; provides that legend drug is adulterated if certain documentation cannot be verified; authorizes DOH to issue certain permits to applicant at same address as licensed nuclear pharmacy & community pharmacy, etc. Amends Ch. 499. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
03/04/03 SENATE Filed
04/02/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Finance and Taxation; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00310
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)
- H 1481 GENERAL BILL by Homan; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Murzin; Robaina; Roberson; Sansom (CS by Health Care) (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, S 2780, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738)
Prescription Drug Protection Act; provides legislative findings & intent re report by Seventeenth Statewide Grand Jury; prohibits purchase or sale of Rx drugs in wholesale distribution in exchange for currency; requires that Rx drug repackagers, nonresident Rx drug manufacturers, & freight forwarders obtain permit from Health Dept. in order to do business; requires Health Dept. to establish website listing certain wholesaler permitholders & pending enforcement, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 01103; Substituted CS/CS/SB 2312; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155) -HJ 01103
- H 1925 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0441, H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 0657, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 1481, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1294, S 1746, S 1912, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/S 2618, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738, CS/S 2750, S 2780)
Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain medications without valid professional relationship; increases threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

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H 1925 (Continued)
05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01056
05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250
(Ch. 2003-258), CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

S 2312 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and
Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Campbell; Atwater (Similar
H 1481, S 2780, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738)
Prescription Drug Protection Act; provides legislative findings &
intent re report by Seventeenth Statewide Grand Jury; prohibits
purchase or sale of Rx drugs in wholesale distribution in exchange
for currency; requires that Rx drug repackagers, nonresident Rx
drug manufacturers, & freight forwarders obtain permit from Health
Dept. in order to do business; requires Health Dept. to establish
website listing all permitholders & pending enforcement actions,
etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise
provided.
05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01163
05/29/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/13/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-155

S 2738 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term
Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0537,
H 1481, H 1831, H 1901, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/S 0476,
CS/CS/S 0696, CS/S 1294, CS/2ND ENG/S 1772, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312,
S 2698, CS/S 2750, S 2780)
Public Health; establishes Div. of Disability Determinations within
Health Dept. & renames Div. of Emergency Medical Services &
Community Health Resources & Div. of Health Awareness & Tobacco;
provides for environmental health services to include
investigations of elevated blood lead levels; authorizes agencies
to establish employee health & wellness programs; authorizes agency
to contract with private or public entities for health care
services, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on
Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to
CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

S 2780 GENERAL BILL by Campbell (Similar H 1481, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312,
Compare 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738)
Prescription Drug Protection Act; provides legislative findings &
intent re report by Seventeenth Statewide Grand Jury; prohibits
purchase or sale of Rx drugs in wholesale distribution in exchange
for currency; requires that Rx drug repackagers, nonresident Rx
drug manufacturers, & freight forwarders obtain permit from Health
Dept in order to do business; requires Health Dept. to establish
website listing all permitholders & pending enforcement actions,
etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise
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S 2780 (Continued)

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

04/10/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Criminal Justice; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00390

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

S 2710 **GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare H 0779)

Enterprise Zone/Okaloosa County; authorizes Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development Office to approve request to amend boundaries of enterprise zone designated for Okaloosa County; provides limitations. Amends 290.00698. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

04/10/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Comprehensive Planning -SJ 00384

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Comprehensive Planning

H 0779

GENERAL BILL by Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Benson; Bullard; Kilmer (CS by Finance & Tax) (Similar 1ST ENG/S 2164, Compare H 1487, H 1505, CS/S 2582, S 2584, S 2608, S 2710)

Enterprise Zones; authorizes Tourism, Trade, & Economic Development Office to amend boundaries of specified communities & increases population limits thereof; extends deadline for requests to amend rural enterprise zone boundaries; authorizes amendment of boundaries of certain rural enterprise zones after recommendation of Enterprise Florida, Inc., & upon recommendation of local development agency, etc. Amends Ch. 290. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/02/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 01107; Substituted SB 2164; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 2164 (Ch. 2003-19) -HJ 01108

S 2748 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Judiciary; Peaden (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1197)

Mental Health; defines & redefines terms used in "The Baker Act"; amends provisions re guardian advocates, confidentiality of clinical records, & involuntary examination; provides for involuntary outpatient placement; provides criteria & procedures; provides for voluntary examination for outpatient placement; creates Involuntary Outpatient Placement Implementation Task Force, etc. Amends 394.455, .4598, .4615, .463, .467; creates 394.4655. Effective Date: 10/01/2004 except as otherwise provided.

04/21/03 SENATE CS read first time on 04/23/04 -SJ 00530

04/23/03 SENATE Now in Children and Families -SJ 00504

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 2748 ** (Continued)

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families
H 1197 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Simmons; (CO-SPONSORS) Anderson; Benson; M. Davis; Harrell; Hogan; Murman (Similar CS/S 2748)
Baker Act; revises language re guardian advocate; authorizes guardian advocate to consent to administration of medication over objection under certain circumstances; provides for release of certain clinical records to certain persons for certain purposes; revises criteria & procedures for involuntary examination; provides contents of petition for involuntary outpatient placement; provides for appointment of counsel, etc. Amends Ch. 394. Effective Date: 10/01/2004 except as otherwise provided.

04/30/03 SENATE In Messages

05/01/03 SENATE Received, referred to Judiciary; Children and Families -SJ 01055

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary

S 2750 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1527, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/S 1116, S 1912, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/S 2618, CS/CS/S 2738)

Health Care; provides for Health Dept. rather than CFS Dept. to manage Raymond C. Philips Research & Education Unit; revises standard under which patient's access to his or her own clinical records may be restricted; provides for release of certain nursing home resident records to Health Dept. pursuant to subpoena; provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric specialists, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$157,017. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/01/03 SENATE Amendment pending -SJ 00878

05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1527 (Ch. 2003-271)

H 1527 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by H. Gibson; (CO-SPONSORS) Baxley; Bullard; Cantens; Domino; Greenstein; Harrell; Jennings; Justice; Kravitz; Roberson; Vana (Similar CS/S 1116, Compare CS/S 2750)

Florida Alzheimer's Training Act; prescribes training standards for employees of home health agencies, adult day care centers, & hospices, respectively, that provide care for persons who have Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; prescribes duties of Elderly Affairs Dept.; provides for compliance with guidelines within certain time period; provides for approval of Alzheimer's training & trainers, etc. Amends 400.4785,.5571,.6045. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/02/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01113

06/26/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1527 (Continued)
06/26/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-271
- H 1647 GENERAL BILL by Peterman (Similar S 1912, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/S 0566, CS/S 2750) Health Care; provides for discounted medical liability insurance based on certification of certain programs; requires licensed facility to notify AHCA of certain actions; provides for nurse-to-patient ratio; provides for peer review & discipline of physician for staff abuse; requires Insurance Reg. Office to publish certain annual report re HMO's on its website; provides grounds for medical physician disciplinary actions, etc. Amends Chs. 395, 456, 458, 459. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/11/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00180
03/17/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Standards (HC); Health Care; State Administration; Appropriations -HJ 00224
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Standards (HC)
- H 1713 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Farkas; Homan (Linked H 1905, Compare H 0971, H 1271, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0560, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/S 1154, S 1912, S 2120, S 2570, CS/S 2750) Medical Incidents; deletes requirement that persons act in good faith to avoid liability or discipline for their actions re awarding of staff membership or clinical privileges; requires hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, & mobile surgical facilities to establish patient safety plans & committees; increases amount of paid liability claims requiring investigation by Health Dept.; creates Health Care Professional Liability Ins. Facility, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/25/03 SENATE In Messages
03/27/03 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations; Rules and Calendar -SJ 00292
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care
- H 1925 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0441, H 0539, 1ST ENG/H 0657, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 1481, H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0250, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/S 1294, S 1746, S 1912, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, CS/S 2618, S 2698, CS/CS/S 2738, CS/S 2750, S 2780) Health; renames certain divisions within Health Dept.; authorizes state agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; provides legislative intent re comprehensive statewide injury prevention & control program; provides for discipline for prescribing, administering, dispensing, or distributing certain medications without valid professional relationship; increases threshold amount of claims against various physicians, etc. Amends

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

H 1925 (Continued)

FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01056

05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Died in Messages,

Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 250

(Ch. 2003-258), CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

S 0562 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; Peaden (Linked CS/CS/S 0566, Compare H 1647, 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, S 1912, CS/S 2750) Medical Malpractice; (THIS BILL COMBINES CS/CS/S562,1912) allows board within Health Dept. to appoint administrative law judge or hearing officer who has certain expertise to hear case involving standard of care; creates Fla. Center for Excellence in Health Care; requires development of statewide electronic infrastructure to improve patient care & delivery & quality of health care services, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$1,139,908. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

04/24/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 36 NAYS 1 -SJ 00540

04/25/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages

S 0572 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Fasano (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0195, H 0289, 1ST ENG/H 0657, H 0761, H 0845, H 0865, 1ST ENG/H 0931, 1ST ENG/H 1553, 1ST ENG/H 1573, H 1891, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/S 0338, CS/1ST ENG/S 0460, 1ST ENG/S 0530, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/S 1928, 2ND ENG/S 2142, CS/CS/S 2144, S 2180, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568, CS/S 2750) Health Care; provides exemption from certificate-of-need requirements for certain open-heart-surgery programs; provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric specialists; creates James & Esther King Center for Universal Research to Eradicate Disease; creates "Nick Oelrich Gift of Life Act"; allows certain dental students to take examination required for practicing dentistry in this state, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$215,196. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 37 NAYS 0 -SJ 01089

05/02/03 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages,

Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 195 (Ch.

2003-180), HB 761 (Ch. 2003-187), HB 1553 (Ch.

2003-27), CS/SB 460 (Ch. 2003-289), SB 530 (Ch.

2003-46), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)

S 0698 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Education; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/S 2750) Certified Geriatric Specialty/Nurses; requires Agency for Workforce Innovation to establish pilot program for delivery of certified geriatric specialty nursing education; provides for articulation of

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geriatric specialty nursing coursework & practical nursing coursework; includes services provided by certified geriatric specialist within definition of nursing service; authorizes Nursing Board to adopt rules re practice & supervision of certified nursing assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$157,017. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/21/03 HOUSE Favorable by Health Care; YEAS 18 NAYS 0
-HJ 00418

04/22/03 HOUSE Now in Appropriations -HJ 00418

S 1116 05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Appropriations
GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders;
(CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Crist (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1527, Compare
CS/S 2750)

Florida Alzheimer's Training Act; creates said act; prescribes training standards for employees of home health agencies, adult day care centers, & hospices, respectively, that provide care for persons who have Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; prescribes duties of Elderly Affairs Dept.; provides for compliance with guidelines within certain time period; provides for approval of Alzheimer's training & trainers, etc. Amends 400.4785, .5571, .6045. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053;
Substituted HB 1527 -SJ 01119; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1527 (Ch.
2003-271)

S 1912 GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Linked CS/CS/S 0566, Similar H 1647,
Compare 1ST ENG/H 1713, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0562,
CS/S 2750)

Health Care; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/CS/CS/S562,1912) provides for discounted medical liability insurance based on certification of programs that reduce adverse incidents; requires licensed facility to notify AHCA of actions filed against facility or health care practitioners for whom it assumes liability; requires facilities to establish nurse-to-patient ratio based upon specified methodology, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/09/03 SENATE CS combines this bill with CS/SB 562; CS/CS by
Judiciary; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00425; Original
bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/CS/SB
562 (Died in House Messages)

S 2212 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Miller (Similar CS/CS/1ST
ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, Compare H 0289, 1ST ENG/H 0657,
1ST ENG/H 0751, H 0761, H 0845, 1ST ENG/H 0931, 1ST ENG/H 1553, 1ST
ENG/H 1573, H 1891, 1ST ENG/S 0530, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698,
CS/S 1714, CS/S 1928, 2ND ENG/S 2142, S 2180, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568,
CS/S 2750)

Health Care; requires Workforce Innovation Agency to establish pilot program for delivery of certified geriatric specialty nursing

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S 2212 (Continued)

education; creates James & Esther King Center for Universal Research to Eradicate Disease; creates "Nick Oelrich Gift of Life Act"; authorizes establishment of for-profit subsidiaries of governing corporation of H. Lee Moffit Cancer Center & Research Institute, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$157,017. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/01/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 00893

05/01/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 761 (Ch. 2003-187), HB 1553 (Ch. 2003-27), SB 530 (Ch. 2003-46), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)

S 2390 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Aronberg (Linked CS/2ND ENG/S 1784, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, Compare H 0289, 1ST ENG/H 0363, 1ST ENG/H 0657, H 0761, H 0845, 1ST ENG/H 0931, H 0989, H 0997, 1ST ENG/H 1553, 1ST ENG/H 1573, H 1891, H 1901, 1ST ENG/S 0530, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, CS/S 1714, CS/S 1928, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/S 2084, 2ND ENG/S 2142, S 2180, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/S 2750)

Health Care; creates James & Esther King Center for Universal Research to Eradicate Disease; provides requirements for filing of prescriptions by pharmacies that are under common ownership or that have contractual relationship with one another; prohibits modification of anatomical gift donor's intent; provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric specialists & that said specialists shall be considered licensed nursing staff, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$24,851,657. Effective Date: Contingent.

05/01/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00876

05/01/03 HOUSE In Messages

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 761 (Ch. 2003-187), HB 1553 (Ch. 2003-27), SB 530 (Ch. 2003-46), CS/SB 2084 (Ch. 2003-41), CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), HB 85-B (Ch. 2003-414)

S 2618 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/S 2750)

Respiratory Therapy Regulation; revises & provides definitions applicable to regulation of respiratory therapy; revises provisions re respiratory therapy licensure & testing requirements; revises exemptions from respiratory therapy licensure requirements; repeals provisions re approval of educational programs & licensure by examination. Amends 468.352,.355,.368; repeals 468.356,.357. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/24/03 HOUSE In Messages

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

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04/29/03 HOUSE Received, placed on Calendar -HJ 00807

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 2738 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0537, H 1481, H 1831, H 1901, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/S 0476, CS/CS/S 0696, CS/S 1294, CS/2ND ENG/S 1772, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2312, S 2698, CS/S 2750, S 2780)

Public Health; establishes Div. of Disability Determinations within Health Dept. & renames Div. of Emergency Medical Services & Community Health Resources & Div. of Health Awareness & Tobacco; provides for environmental health services to include investigations of elevated blood lead levels; authorizes agencies to establish employee health & wellness programs; authorizes agency to contract with private or public entities for health care services, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856

05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2312 (Ch. 2003-155)

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- S 0310 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Finance and Taxation; Children and Families; Transportation; Smith; (CO-SPONSORS) Lynn; Peaden (Similar H 0249)
License Plate/Child Abuse Prevention; creates Child Abuse Prevention & Intervention license plate; provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such plates; places limitations on use of sale proceeds. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057
05/27/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/10/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-121
- H 0249 GENERAL BILL by Meador; (CO-SPONSORS) Baxley; Brandenburg; Bullard; A. Gibson; Harrell; Hogan; Robaina (Similar CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0310)
License Plate/Child Abuse Prevention; creates Child Abuse Prevention & Intervention license plate; provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such plates. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/CS/CS/SB 310; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 310 (Ch. 2003-121) -HJ 00881
- S 0338 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Judiciary; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Argenziano; Peaden; Bullard (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0195, Compare CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572)
Emergency Medical Dispatch Act; provides short title; provides definitions; provides presumption of non-negligence in use of emergency medical dispatch protocols by emergency medical dispatcher or emergency medical dispatch agency, its agents, or employees; authorizes grants by Health Dept. to emergency medical dispatch agencies. Creates 768.1335; amends 401.111. Effective Date: 09/11/2003.
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Substituted HB 195 -SJ 01118; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 195 (Ch. 2003-180)
- H 0195 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Bilirakis; (CO-SPONSORS) Baxley; Cantens; Domino; Greenstein; Homan; Kendrick; Littlefield; Sansom; Wishner; Zapata (Similar CS/S 0338, Compare CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572)
Emergency Medical Dispatch Act; creates said act; provides definitions; provides presumption of nonnegligence for certain persons who use emergency dispatch protocols; provides exceptions; provides for grants to local agencies to support emergency medical dispatch. Creates 768.1335; amends 401.111. Effective Date: 09/11/2003.

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 0195 (Continued)
 05/02/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01113
 06/11/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 06/23/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-180
- S 0572 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Fasano (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0195, H 0289, 1ST ENG/H 0657, H 0761, H 0845, H 0865, 1ST ENG/H 0931, 1ST ENG/H 1553, 1ST ENG/H 1573, H 1891, 1ST ENG/H 1925, CS/S 0338, CS/1ST ENG/S 0460, 1ST ENG/S 0530, CS/CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0698, CS/S 1928, 2ND ENG/S 2142, CS/CS/S 2144, S 2180, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568, CS/S 2750)
Health Care; provides exemption from certificate-of-need requirements for certain open-heart-surgery programs; provides requirements for persons to become certified geriatric specialists; creates James & Esther King Center for Universal Research to Eradicate Disease; creates "Nick Oelrich Gift of Life Act"; allows certain dental students to take examination required for practicing dentistry in this state, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$215,196. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
 05/02/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 37 NAYS 0 -SJ 01089
 05/02/03 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages,
 Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 195 (Ch. 2003-180), HB 761 (Ch. 2003-187), HB 1553 (Ch. 2003-27), CS/SB 460 (Ch. 2003-289), SB 530 (Ch. 2003-46), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)
- S 0576 **RESOLUTION by Jones; (CO-SPONSORS) Bennett; Lee; Dockery; Fasano; Sebesta; Crist; King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bullard; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Garcia; Geller; Hill; Klein; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise (Similar H 9005, S 2542)
Tampa Bay Buccaneers; commends Tampa Bay Buccaneers for their outstanding 2002 football season & tremendous victory in Super Bowl XXXVII.
 03/13/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00175; Read second time -SJ 00175; Adopted; YEAS 37 NAYS 0; See also HR 9005 (Adopted), SR 2542 (Adopted) -SJ 00175
- H 9005 RESOLUTION by Littlefield; (CO-SPONSORS) Adams; Allen; Ambler; Anderson; Antone; Arza; Attkisson; Ausley; Barreiro; Baxley; Bean; Bense; Benson; Berfield; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brandenburg; Brown; Brummer; Brutus; Bucher; Bullard; Byrd; Cantens; Carassas; Clarke; Cretul; Culp; Cusack; D. Davis; M. Davis; Dean; Detert; Evers; Farkas; Fields; Fiorentino; Galvano; Gannon; Garcia; Gardiner; Gelber; A. Gibson; H. Gibson; Goodlette; Gottlieb; Green; Harper; Harrell; Harrington; Hasner; Henriquez; Hogan; Holloway; Homan; Jennings; Johnson; Jordan; Joyner; Justice; Kallinger; Kendrick;

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Kilmer; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Kyle; Llorente; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield; McInvale; Meadows; Meador; Murman; Murzin; Needelman; Negron; Patterson; Paul; Peterman; Pickens; Planas; Poppell; Prieguez; Quinones; Reagan; Rich; Richardson; Ritter; Rivera; Robaina; Roberson; Ross; Rubio; Russell; Ryan; Sansom; Seiler; Simmons; Slosberg; Smith; Sobel; Sorensen; Spratt; Stansel; Stargel; Troutman; Vana; Waters; Wiles; Wishner; Zapata (Similar S 0576, S 2542)

Tampa Bay Buccaneers; salutes Tampa Bay Buccaneers for acquiring best record in National Football League this season, for winning Super Bowl XXXVII & world championship, etc.

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00101

03/13/03 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00187; Adopted; See also SR 576 (Adopted), SR 2542 (Adopted) -HJ 00187

S 2542 RESOLUTION by Miller (Similar H 9005, S 0576)

Tampa Bay Buccaneers; recognizes, commends, & honors players, coaches, & managers & owners of Tampa Bay Buccaneers for their great victory in Super Bowl 2003 & for all other benefits they have brought us.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

03/26/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00258; Adopted; See also HR 9005 (Adopted), SR 576 (Adopted) -SJ 00258

S 0626 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Natural Resources; Lawson; (CO-SPONSORS) Lynn; Haridopolos; Peaden; Cowin; Posey; Lee; Clary (Similar H 1893)

Everglades Forever Act; re-names Everglades Swim Plan as Everglades Long-Term Plan; provides for review by DEP of certain projects & incremental phosphorus reduction measures; requires that initial phase of Long-Term Plan achieve water quality standards re phosphorus criterion in Everglades Protection Area; provides for use of ad valorem tax proceeds; provides schedule for enhancements to Everglades Construction Project, etc. Amends 373.4592.

Effective Date: 05/20/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057

05/19/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/20/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-12

H 1893 GENERAL BILL by Natural Resources; (CO-SPONSORS) Spratt (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 0626)

Everglades Restoration; provides definitions; provides for implementation of Long-Term Plan; provides for use of ad valorem tax proceeds; provides schedule for Everglades Construction Project enhancements; deletes obsolete provisions; provides for C-139 Basin BMPs; provides for computation of Everglades agricultural privilege tax; provides for computation of C-139 agricultural privilege tax; provides for long-term compliance permits. Amends 373.4592.

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

H 1893 (Continued)

Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 00887;
Substituted CS/SB 626; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 626
(Ch. 2003-12) -HJ 00888

S 0700 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Children and Families; Lynn;
(CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Wise; Bullard (Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 2404,
Compare H 0433, H 1397, H 1891, H 1901, S 1114, S 1918, CS/3RD
ENG/S 2568)

Children & Family Services Dept.; creates Fla. Substance Abuse &
Mental Health Board, Inc., which shall be administratively housed
within CFS Dept.; directs other agencies to cooperate in
development of evaluation & report; authorizes CFS Dept. to adopt
by rule new payment methodologies & to eliminate unit-based
methodologies for mental health & substance abuse services;
establishes data system requirements, etc. Amends Ch. 394, 20.19,
409.912. Appropriation: \$250,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming
law except as otherwise provided.

05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856

05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on
Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to
CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)

S 2404 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Children and Families; Lynn (Similar
CS/CS/S 0700, Compare H 0433, H 1397, H 1891, H 1901, S 1114,
S 1918, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568)

Substance Abuse & Mental Health; authorizes CFS Dept. to adopt by
rule new payment methodologies & to eliminate unit-based
methodologies for mental health & substance abuse services; creates
Florida Substance Abuse & Mental Health Corporation, Inc.; provides
for establishment of single managing entity for delivery of
substance abuse services to child protective services recipients in
specified districts of department, etc. Amends Chs. 20, 394,
409.912. Effective Date: 07/11/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057

06/30/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

07/11/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-279; See
also CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)

H 0433 GENERAL BILL by Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino (CS by
Appropriations) (Compare H 1397, H 1901, CS/CS/S 0700, S 1114,
S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404)

Behavioral Health; requires Secretary of CFS to appoint assistant
secretary for behavioral health services; provides for
establishment of Behavioral Health Services Board; requires AHCA to
seek federal approval to contract with single entity to provide
comprehensive behavioral health care services to Medicaid

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- H 0433 (Continued)
recipients; requires AHCA to submit plan for full implementation of capitated prepaid behavioral health care in all areas of state, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB 2404; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279) -HJ 00848
- H 1397 GENERAL BILL by Cusack (CS by The Future of Florida's Families) (Compare H 0433, H 1891, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, CS/3RD ENG/S 2568)
Substance Abuse Services; authorizes CFS Dept. to adopt by rule new payment methodologies & to eliminate unit-based methodologies for mental health & substance abuse services; prohibits changes to ratio of state to local matching resources or to sources of local match & prohibits increase in amount of local matching funds required; modifies services for which managing entity is accountable, etc. Amends 394.74,.9082. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/25/03 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6.3(b)
04/27/03 HOUSE Now in Human Services Appropriations (AP) -HJ 00397
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Human Services Appropriations (AP), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57)
- H 1891 GENERAL BILL by The Future of Florida's Families; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Green; Sobel (CS by Appropriations) (Similar CS/3RD ENG/S 2568, Compare H 1397, 1ST ENG/H 1621, H 1871, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1782, CS/2ND ENG/S 1822, CS/2ND ENG/S 2150, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, S 2766, S 2804)
Disabled, Vulnerable, or Elderly; allows administration of medication by certain unlicensed staff for persons with developmental disabilities; allows administration of medication by certain unlicensed staff in nursing homes & related health care facilities for persons with developmental disabilities; provides training requirements for parents appointed as guardians of property of their minor children; creates Guardianship Task Force, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/30/03 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00879; Temporarily postponed on second reading; On Unfinished Business -HJ 00879
05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2568 (Ch. 2003-57), CS/SB 1822 (Ch. 2003-262), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279)
- H 1901 GENERAL BILL by Health Care; (CO-SPONSORS) Attkisson; Farkas (Compare H 0433, CS/1ST ENG/S 0390, CS/CS/S 0400, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1252, S 1918, CS/2ND ENG/S 2020, CS/2ND ENG/S 2322, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2390, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2678, CS/CS/S 2738)

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

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Health Care; excludes hearings conducted by AHCA from certain administrative law judge assignment requirements; designates agency's Fair Hearings Office as entity initiating & conducting certain hearings; provides for prepaid health plan for Medicaid HIV/AIDS recipients; requires agency to ensure certain provider choice for Medicaid recipients; requires display of expiration date of prescribed drugs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/18/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00413

04/22/03 HOUSE Referred to Calendar -HJ 00463

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2322 (Ch. 2003-9), CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279), SB 22-A (Ch. 2003-405)

S 1114 GENERAL BILL by Saunders (Compare H 0433, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404)

Substance Abuse & Mental Health; amends accreditation requirements for providers of behavioral health care services; requires CFS Dept. & AHCA to follow only properly adopted & applicable statutes & rules in monitoring contracted providers; requires department to file State Project Compliance Supplement. Amends 394.741. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/04/03 SENATE Withdrawn from Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00004; Rereferred to Children and Families; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00004

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2404 (Ch. 2003-279)

S 1918 GENERAL BILL by Peaden (Compare H 0433, H 1901, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/2ND ENG/S 2404)

Mental Health & Substance Abuse; provides legislative intent re provision of mental health & substance abuse services through creation of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services Agency within CFS Dept.; provides the mission of agency; requires agency to develop strategic plan & collaborative agreements with state agencies; provides for Division Director for Mental Health & Division Director for Substance Abuse, etc. Creates 394.95; amends 394.741, 409.912; reenacts various FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

03/18/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Children and Families; Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00196

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- S 1918 (Continued)
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2404
(Ch. 2003-279)
- S 2568 GENERAL BILL/CS/3RD ENG by Children and Families; Lynn (Similar
H 1891, Compare H 1397, 1ST ENG/H 1621, H 1871, CS/CS/S 0400,
CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0572, CS/CS/S 0700, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1782, CS/2ND
ENG/S 1822, CS/2ND ENG/S 2150, CS/1ST ENG/S 2212, CS/2ND
ENG/S 2404, S 2766, S 2804)
Disabled, Vulnerable, or Elderly; allows administration of
medication by certain unlicensed staff for persons with
developmental disabilities; allows administration of medication by
certain unlicensed staff in nursing homes & related health care
facilities for persons with developmental disabilities; provides
training requirements for parents appointed as guardians of
property of their minor children; creates Guardianship Task Force,
etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 05/30/2003.
05/02/03 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01144
05/20/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/30/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-57; See also
CS/SB 1822 (Ch. 2003-262), CS/SB 2404 (Ch.
2003-279)
- S 0956 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Natural Resources; Jones; (CO-SPONSORS)
Peaden; Clary; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery (Similar H 0741)
Drycleaning Solvent Cleanup Program; defines term "nearby real
property owner" re protection & restoration of lands & surface &
ground waters; provides additional legislative findings re
drycleaning facility restoration; exempts certain real property
owners & nearby real property owners from liability for damages
arising from contamination by drycleaning solvents in certain
circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/11/2003.
05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01163
06/30/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
07/11/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-276
- H 0741 GENERAL BILL by Ross; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Kendrick; Machek;
Seiler; Stargel; Zapata (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0956)
Drycleaning Solvent Cleanup Program; defines term "nearby real
property owner" re protection & restoration of lands & surface &
ground waters; provides additional legislative findings re
drycleaning facility restoration; exempts certain real property
owners & nearby real property owners from liability for damages
arising from contamination by drycleaning solvents in certain
circumstances, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
05/01/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB
956; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 956 (Ch. 2003-276) -HJ 00981

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- S 1118 **GENERAL BILL by Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Fasano; Jones; Bennett; Clary; Wilson; Peaden (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1501)
Hospice License Plate; creates said license plate; provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such plates. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
 04/29/03 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00754; Substituted HB 1501 -SJ 00754; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1501 (Ch. 2003-183)
- H 1501 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Baker; (CO-SPONSORS) Anderson; Attkisson; Baxley; Bilirakis; Bowen; Brutus; Bullard; D. Davis; M. Davis; Domino; A. Gibson; H. Gibson; Harrell; Harrington; Hogan; Jordan; Kendrick; Kottkamp; Kravitz; Machek; Mahon; Paul; Reagan; Roberson; Russell; Sansom; Spratt; Troutman; Waters; Wishner; Zapata (Similar S 1118)
Hospice License Plate; creates said license plate; provides for distribution of annual use fees received from sale of such plates. Amends 320.08056,.08058. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
 04/30/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00970
 06/11/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 06/23/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-183
- S 1164 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Comprehensive Planning; Pruitt; (CO-SPONSORS) Geller; Lynn; Peaden (Identical H 0113, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1459, CS/1ST ENG/S 1956)
Private Property Rights Protection; amends "Bert J. Harris, Jr., Private Property Rights Protection Act"; provides for state land planning agency to receive notice of claims; amends procedures for determining governmental entity's final decision identifying allowable uses for property; provides for waiver of sovereign immunity for liability; provides requirements for offer of compensation by regional water supply authority; provides severability, etc. Amends 70.001. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
 04/30/03 HOUSE Amendment(s) reconsidered, withdrawn -HJ 00888
 05/02/03 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 01051; Died on Calendar
- H 0113 GENERAL BILL by Kottkamp; (CO-SPONSORS) Murzin; Planas; Zapata (CS by State Administration) (Identical CS/2ND ENG/S 1164, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1459, CS/1ST ENG/S 1956)
Private Property Rights Protection; amends "Bert J. Harris, Jr., Private Property Rights Protection Act"; provides for state land planning agency to receive notice of claims; amends procedures for determining governmental entity's final decision identifying allowable uses for property; provides for waiver of sovereign immunity for liability; provides requirements for offer of compensation by regional water supply authority; provides severability, etc. Amends 70.001. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
 04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Substituted CS/SB

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- H 0113 (Continued)
04/30/03 HOUSE 1164 (Died on House Calendar); Laid on Table
-HJ 00819
- H 1459 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Machek (Compare H 0113, H 0129, 1ST
ENG/H 0435, H 0963, H 1005, H 1069, 1ST ENG/H 1363, H 1769, H 1799,
CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0140, S 0662, S 0998, S 1060, CS/2ND ENG/S 1164,
CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/S 2316, CS/S 2758)
Water Resources; provides for development of water conservation
guidance manual by DEP; authorizes WMDs to require use of reclaimed
water in lieu of surface or groundwater when use of uncommitted
reclaimed water is environmentally, economically, & technically
feasible; provides applicability of provisions re ownership &
operation of utilities by entities composed of municipalities &
counties, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except
as otherwise provided.
04/29/03 HOUSE Ordered engrossed -HJ 00799
05/01/03 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 00998
05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar
- S 1956 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Appropriations; Constantine;
(CO-SPONSORS) Webster (Compare H 0113, H 1333, CS/2ND ENG/S 1164)
Growth Management; changes title to "Wekiva River Basin & Springs
Protection & Planning Act"; creates integrated planning area for
Wekiva River Basin; provides for rulemaking authority for St. Johns
River Water Management District re springshed protection as it
relates to implementing provisions of this act; provides
legislative findings re loss of property values due to proximity of
regional water reservoir, etc. Amends Chs. 369, 373, 163, 381.
Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/02/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 01068
05/02/03 HOUSE In Messages; Died in Messages
- S 1214 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Villalobos;
(CO-SPONSORS) Miller; Campbell; Argenziano; Fasano; Bullard;
Margolis; Aronberg; Atwater; Peaden; Lawson; Siplin; Smith; Diaz de
la Portilla; Constantine; Hill (Similar H 0933, S 0138, Compare
H 0215)
Fla. Civil Rights Act of 1992; authorizes Attorney General to
commence civil action against person or group perpetuating
discriminatory practices; provides for damages, injunctive relief,
& civil penalties; provides for venue; provides for attorney's fees
& costs; provides for deposit of civil penalties into General
Revenue Fund; authorizes Attorney General to investigate violations
under Fla. Civil Rights Act of 1992; revises provisions re state
employment policy, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming
law except as otherwise provided.
05/02/03 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 113 NAYS 2 -HJ 01065
05/02/03 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages,

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05/02/03 SENATE Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 143-A
(Ch. 2003-396)

H 0933 GENERAL BILL by Fields; (CO-SPONSORS) Gannon (Identical S 0138,
Similar CS/2ND ENG/S 1214)
Employment Practices/Discrimination; revises provisions re state
employment policy, career service appointments, county & municipal
employment, & unlawful employment practices, to provide that
discrimination on basis of sex includes discrimination on basis of
pregnancy, childbirth, or related medical conditions; provides
limitation re employer health insurance benefits, etc. Amends
110.105,.233, 112.042, 760.10; reenacts 104.31(3), 760.11(15).
Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00081

03/07/03 HOUSE Referred to State Administration; Local Government
& Veterans' Affairs; Judiciary; Commerce & Local
Affairs Appropriations (AP); Appropriations
-HJ 00164

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on State Administration,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 143-A
(Ch. 2003-396)

S 0138 GENERAL BILL by Wasserman Schultz (Identical H 0933, Similar
CS/2ND ENG/S 1214)
Employment Practices/Discrimination; revises provisions re state
employment policy, career service appointments, county & municipal
employment, & unlawful employment practices, to provide that
discrimination on basis of sex includes discrimination on basis of
pregnancy, childbirth, or related medical conditions; provides
limitation re employer health insurance benefits, etc. Amends
110.105,.233, 112.042, 760.10; reenacts 104.31(3), 760.11(15).
Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/01/03 SENATE Favorable by Governmental Oversight and
Productivity; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00304

04/02/03 SENATE Now in Judiciary -SJ 00304

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 143-A
(Ch. 2003-396)

H 0215 GENERAL BILL by Kottkamp; (CO-SPONSORS) Anderson; Antone; Arza;
Attkisson; Baxley; Benson; Brandenburg; Bullard; Cantens; Carassas;
Cusack; D. Davis; M. Davis; Domino; Gannon; Gelber; Gottlieb;
Green; Hasner; Henriquez; Holloway; Jennings; Joyner; Kendrick;
Kravitz; Littlefield; Machek; Mack; McInvale; Meadows; Murzin;
Needelman; Paul; Peterman; Planas; Quinones; Rich; Richardson;
Ritter; Rivera; Roberson; Seiler; Smith; Sobel; Sorensen; Spratt;
Troutman; Vana; Wishner; Zapata (CS by Appropriations) (Compare
CS/2ND ENG/S 1214)
Civil Rights Violation/Damages; authorizes Atty. General to
commence civil action to obtain damages or other relief for civil

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H 0215 (Continued)
rights violation under certain circumstances; provides for attorney's fees & costs; changes threshold for employer subject to Fla. Civil Rights Act of 1992; makes unlawful discrimination or segregation in places of public accommodation, etc. Creates 760.021,.08; amends 16.57, 760.02. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/30/03 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar -HJ 00814;
Substituted CS/SB 1214 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 143-A (Ch. 2003-396) -HJ 00859

S 1454 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Comprehensive Planning; Atwater; (CO-SPONSORS) Dawson; Bennett; Geller; Peaden; Fasano; Lee; Clary; Campbell; Saunders; Siplin; Bullard; Klein; Aronberg; Wilson; Crist (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0475, H 1923, Compare H 1391, CS/CS/CS/S 0194, S 0670, CS/CS/S 1556, CS/CS/S 1740, CS/S 1996, CS/S 2054, CS/CS/S 2446)
Social Services; creates "Local Funding Revenue Maximization Act"; provides for administrative costs; removes Tallahassee Community College as sole contract provider for child welfare training academies; provides for continuation of privatization of foster care & related services; provides for custody determination & placement of unaccompanied refugee minors, etc. Amends Chs. 402, 409, 39.202, 937.021. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/01/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01057

05/29/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/12/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-146; See also CS/CS/SB 2446 (Ch. 2003-131)

H 0475 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Attkisson; Bendross-Mindingall; Brandenburg; Brummer; Bucher; Bullard; D. Davis; M. Davis; Fiorentino; Gannon; Garcia; Harper; Hasner; Hogan; Homan; Justice; Rich; Robaina; Roberson; Sobel; Zapata (Similar H 1923, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454, Compare H 1391, S 0670, CS/CS/S 1556, CS/CS/S 1740, CS/S 1996, CS/S 2054)

Human Services; clarifies right to access to records for certain attorneys & provides right to access for school principals & certain school employees; removes Tallahassee Community College as sole contract provider for child welfare training academies; exempts certain counties from privatization requirements re foster care & related services; provides for custody determination & placement of unaccompanied refugee minors, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/28/03 HOUSE Ordered engrossed -HJ 00661

04/30/03 HOUSE Substituted CS/CS/SB 1454; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146) -HJ 00899

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- H 1923 GENERAL BILL by The Future of Florida's Families; (CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino (Similar 1ST ENG/H 0475, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454, Compare H 1391, CS/CS/S 1556, CS/CS/S 1740, CS/S 1996, CS/S 2054) Children & Family Services Dept.; provides access to reports & records in cases of child abuse or neglect to additional persons; removes TCC as sole contract provider for child welfare training academies; eliminates timetable for total privatization of foster care & related services; authorizes CFS Dept. to administer refugee assistance program; provides for filing of police reports for missing children in county or municipality where child was last seen, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/22/03 HOUSE Filed; Introduced -HJ 00460
05/02/03 HOUSE Died, reference deferred, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- H 1391 GENERAL BILL by Adams; (CO-SPONSORS) Rivera (CS by The Future of Florida's Families) (Similar CS/CS/S 1740, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0475, H 1923, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454) Dependent Children; clarifies right of access to records for certain attorneys & provides right to access for certain school employees & certain employees & volunteers of certified domestic violence center; authorizes CFS & specified law enf. agencies to release certain info when child is under investigation or supervision; provides standards for background screening of persons seeking approval as relative & nonrelative caregivers of children, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
04/14/03 HOUSE Favorable with CS amendment by The Future of Florida's Families; YEAS 16 NAYS 0 -HJ 00397
04/22/03 HOUSE Now in Human Services Appropriations (AP) -HJ 00397
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Human Services Appropriations (AP), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- S 0194 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS by Appropriations; Commerce, Economic Opportunities, and Consumer Services; Children and Families; Lynn (Compare H 0521, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454, CS/CS/S 2446) Child Care Facilities; requires signed affidavit attesting to accuracy of certain info. provided by applicant for child care facility license; requires CFS Dept. to establish database of info. re violations, citations, & penalties imposed against child care facilities regulated by state; requires said department to consult & meet requirements of State Technology Office; provides for transfer of Child Care Program from CFS Dept. to Health Dept., etc. Amends Ch. 402. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
05/01/03 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00874
05/01/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146), CS/CS/SB 2446 (Ch. 2003-131)
- S 0670 GENERAL BILL by Bennett (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0475, CS/CS/2ND

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- S 0670 (Continued)
ENG/S 1454, CS/S 2054)
Family Foster Homes/Licensure; revises requirements for assessment that must be completed before additional children are placed in home; requires that assessment be conducted by certified family counselor. Amends 409.175. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
02/13/03 SENATE Referred to Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations
03/04/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00039
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- S 1556 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Children and Families; Lynn (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0475, H 1923, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454)
Independent Living Transition Svcs.; abolishes Independent Living Services Transition Workgroup; deletes report required by said workgroup; establishes Independent Living Services Workgroup; provides for activities of Independent Living Services Workgroup; provides that property acquired on behalf of client receiving independent living transition services is property of client; provides that rules are to balance normalcy & safety for youth, etc. Amends 409.1451. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/30/03 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 40 NAYS 0 -SJ 00795
04/30/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- S 1740 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Criminal Justice; Children and Families; Lynn (Similar H 1391, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0475, H 1923, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454)
Dependent Children; clarifies right of access to records for certain attorneys & provides right to access for certain school employees & certain employees & volunteers of certified domestic violence center; requires certain screening of prospective adoptive parents; provides for background screening for summer camp personnel; provides for filing of police reports for missing children in county or municipality where child was last seen, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE CS passed; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00871
05/01/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- S 1996 GENERAL BILL/CS by Children and Families; Lynn (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0475, H 1923, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454)
Child Welfare Training Academies; requires CFS Department to

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- S 1996 (Continued)
establish curriculum of core competencies for training curriculum;
requires collaboration with experts & providers; requires each
person who delivers child welfare services to master particular
components of training curriculum; deletes requirement that
department contract with Tallahassee Community College for
operation of one or more training academies, etc. Amends 402.40.
Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
04/09/03 SENATE CS read first time on 04/10/03 -SJ 00395
04/10/03 SENATE Now in Governmental Oversight and Productivity
-SJ 00383
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and
Productivity, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer
to CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- S 2054 GENERAL BILL/CS by Children and Families; Lynn; (CO-SPONSORS)
Bennett; Bullard (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0475, H 1923, S 0670,
CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1454)
Community-based Care; deletes requirement for contracts for legal
services in certain counties; deletes requirement for plan;
requires Governor's approval of dept.'s methodology for
transferring funds; modifies schedule by which community-based care
will be implemented; changes eligibility requirements for
participation in community partnership matching grant program, etc.
Amends 409.1671,.16745,.175. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856
05/02/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 01053; Died on
Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to
CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- S 2446 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Education; Children and Families; Wasserman
Schultz (Similar H 1141, Compare CS/CS/CS/S 0194, CS/CS/2ND
ENG/S 1454)
Child Care; revises inservice training requirements for child care
personnel; requires training in early literacy & language
development; provides grounds for injunctive relief against family
day care homes or large family child care homes; requires annual
training & annual health & safety home inspection self-evaluation
by family day care home operators; requires CFS Dept. to adopt
rules, etc. Amends 402.305,.312,.313,.3131. Effective Date:
07/01/2003.
05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01163
05/27/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/10/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-131; See
also CS/CS/SB 1454 (Ch. 2003-146)
- S 1560 **MEMORIAL by Jones; (CO-SPONSORS) Saunders; Lynn; Sebesta; Cowin;
Dockery; Alexander; Clary; Diaz de la Portilla; Haridopolos;
Villalobos; Atwater; Crist; Garcia; Constantine; Carlton; Webster;

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BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 1560 *(Continued)

Argenziano; Bennett; Posey; Wise; Peaden; Pruitt; Fasano; King; Lee
Repeal of Death Tax; requests Congress to support, work to pass, &
vote for immediate & permanent repeal of death tax.

04/02/03 SENATE Favorable by- Rules and Calendar; YEAS 9 NAYS 4
-SJ 00341

04/03/03 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00341

05/02/03 SENATE Died on Calendar

S 1626 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Criminal Justice; Health, Aging, and
Long-Term Care; Margolis; (CO-SPONSORS) Dawson; Bullard; Posey;
Fasano; Miller; Garcia; Campbell; Peaden; Hill; Klein; Atwater
(Similar 1ST ENG/H 0953)

Weight-loss Pills; defines term "weight-loss pill"; prohibits sale,
or other transfer of weight-loss pills to minors; provides defense;
requires establishments selling such pills at retail to post notice
that such sale is unlawful; provides penalties; authorizes
Agriculture Department to adopt rules. Effective Date: 07/01/2004.

04/30/03 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00817

05/01/03 SENATE Substituted HB 953 -SJ 00871; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 953 (Ch.
2003-24)

H 0953 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Roberson; (CO-SPONSORS) Brutus; Bullard;
Gannon; Gottlieb; Holloway; Homan; Jennings; Machek; Murman;
Reagan; Rivera; Robaina; Sansom; Troutman; Vana; Zapata (Similar
CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1626)

Weight-loss Pills; defines term "weight-loss pill"; prohibits sale
or other transfer of weight-loss pills to minors; provides defense;
requires establishments selling such pills at retail to post notice
that such sale is unlawful; provides penalties. Effective Date:
07/01/2004.

05/01/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01029

05/19/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/21/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-24

S 1660 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Comprehensive Planning; Agriculture;
Argenziano; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Dockery; Peaden; Lynn;
Webster; Bennett; Fasano; Posey; Smith; Bullard; Lee; Siplin
(Compare H 1075, CS/1ST ENG/S 1176)

Community Development & Planning; provides legislative findings &
purpose re agricultural activities & duplicative regulation;
prohibits county from adopting any ordinance, resolution,
regulation, rule, or policy to prohibit or otherwise limit bona
fide farm operation on land that is classified as agricultural land
under certain provision; provides for effect of waiver of annual
application requirements, etc. Amends 193.461; creates 163.3162.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 1660 **(Continued)

Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01160

06/10/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/20/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-162; See also CS/SB 1176 (Ch. 2003-254)

H 1075 GENERAL BILL by Poppell; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Baxley; Bean; Bowen; Bullard; Cretul; M. Davis; Dean; Evers; Kendrick; Machek; Murzin; Pickens; Rivera; Robaina; Ross; Russell; Spratt; Stansel; Troutman; Zapata (CS by Agriculture) (Compare CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1660) Agricultural Lands & Practices Act; provides legislative findings & purpose re agric. activities conducted on land in urban areas; defines terms "farm," "farm operation," & "farm product" for purposes of act; prohibits county from adopting any ordinance, resolution, regulation, rule, or policy to prohibit or otherwise limit bona fide farm or farm operation on certain land that is integral part of farm operation or that is classified as agricultural land, etc. Creates 163.3162. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/30/03 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00967; Amendment pending --Temporarily postponed -HJ 00968

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1660 (Ch. 2003-162)

S 1176 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Finance and Taxation; Campbell (Similar H 1907, Compare H 0141, H 0929, 2ND ENG/H 1813, H 1827, H 1897, CS/S 0332, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1448, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1660, S 2666, S 2842)

Taxation; amends provisions re local communications services tax; changes sourcing requirements for third number & calling card calls; provides exemption for homes for aged; revises period during which taxpayer may voluntarily disclose tax liability; authorizes governing body of county to revoke waiver of annual property classification; revises date by which property appraiser must provide notice to property owners, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/03 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01163

06/12/03 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/25/03 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2003-254; See also HB 1813 (Ch. 2003-86), CS/CS/SB 1448 (Ch. 2003-36), CS/CS/SB 1660 (Ch. 2003-162)

S 1728 **MEMORIAL by Wise; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Haridopolos; Garcia; Geller; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lee; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 1728 *(Continued)

Wilson (Identical H 0429)

Captain M. Scott Speicher; urges Congress to take all actions necessary to resolve fate of Captain M. Scott Speicher, United States Navy, MIA-Captured.

04/10/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00381;

Substituted HM 429 -SJ 00379; Laid on Table,

Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HM 429

(Adopted)

H 0429

MEMORIAL by Jordan; (CO-SPONSORS) Adams; Allen; Altman; Ambler; Anderson; Antone; Arza; Attkisson; Ausley; Bean;

Bendross-Mindingall; Bense; Benson; Berfield; Bilirakis; Bowen;

Brandenburg; Brown; Brummer; Brutus; Bucher; Bullard; Byrd;

Cantens; Clarke; Cretul; Culp; Cusack; D. Davis; M. Davis; Dean;

Detert; Domino; Evers; Farkas; Fields; Fiorentino; Galvano; Gannon;

Garcia; Gardiner; Gelber; A. Gibson; H. Gibson; Goodlette;

Gottlieb; Green; Greenstein; Harper; Harrell; Harrington; Hasner;

Henriquez; Hogan; Holloway; Homan; Jennings; Johnson; Joyner;

Justice; Kallinger; Kendrick; Kilmer; Kosmas; Kottkamp; Kravitz;

Kyle; Littlefield; Llorente; Machek; Mack; Mahon; Mayfield;

McInvale; Meadows; Meador; Murman; Murzin; Needelman; Negron;

Patterson; Paul; Peterman; Pickens; Planas; Quinones; Reagan; Rich;

Richardson; Ritter; Rivera; Robaina; Roberson; Ross; Rubio;

Russell; Ryan; Sansom; Seiler; Simmons; Slosberg; Smith; Sobel;

Sorensen; Spratt; Stansel; Stargel; Troutman; Vana; Wiles; Wishner;

Zapata (Identical S 1728)

Captain M. Scott Speicher; urges Congress to take all actions necessary to resolve fate of Captain M. Scott Speicher, United States Navy, MIA-Captured.

04/10/03 SENATE Adopted -SJ 00379

04/16/03 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00401

05/23/03 Signed by Officers and filed with Secretary of State

S 1946 **GENERAL BILL by Clary; (CO-SPONSORS) Miller; Peaden; Jones; Cowin (Similar H 1655, Compare H 0163, H 1247, H 1409, H 1539, 2ND ENG/H 1837, CS/CS/S 1132)

Workers' Compensation; provides for startup funding for Fla.

Employers Mutual Insurance Co., as created by act; requires workers' compensation insurers to report cost data to Financial Services Dept.; creates Fla. Employers Mutual Insurance Company Act; creates Fla. Employers Mutual Insurance Company to provide workers' compensation insurance & employer's liability coverage, etc. Amends Chs. 440, 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

03/04/03 SENATE Filed

03/18/03 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government;

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 1946 *(Continued)

03/18/03 SENATE Appropriations -SJ 00198

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 50-A (Ch.
2003-412)

H 1655 GENERAL BILL by Berfield (Similar S 1946, Compare H 0163, H 1247,
H 1409, H 1539, 2ND ENG/H 1837, CS/CS/S 1132)

Workers' Compensation; provides for startup funding for Fla.
Employers Mutual Insurance Co., as created by act; requires
workers' compensation insurers to report cost data to Financial
Services Dept.; creates Fla. Employers Mutual Insurance Company
Act; creates Fla. Employers Mutual Insurance Company to provide
workers' compensation insurance & employer's liability coverage,
etc. Amends Chs. 440, 627, 624.482, 631.914. Effective Date:
07/01/2003.

03/11/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00181

03/17/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Access & Financing (IN);
Insurance -HJ 00224

05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Access & Financing
(IN), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB
50-A (Ch. 2003-412)

H 0163 GENERAL BILL by Mack (Compare H 0927, H 1247, H 1655, 2ND
ENG/H 1837, CS/CS/S 1132, S 1946, S 2282)

Workers' Compensation; revises requirements re submitting notice of
election of exemption & maintenance of records; requires that
certain compensable injuries be established by medical evidence;
requires subcontractors to provide evidence of workers'
compensation coverage or proof of exemption to contractor; requires
AHCA to ensure establishment of practice parameters for physician
medical services, etc. Amends Ch. 440. Effective Date: Upon
becoming law.

01/31/03 HOUSE Prefiled

03/04/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00033

05/02/03 HOUSE Died, reference deferred, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare
passed, refer to SB 50-A (Ch. 2003-412)

H 1247 GENERAL BILL by Clarke; (CO-SPONSORS) Gannon; Stargel (Compare
H 0163, H 1655, 2ND ENG/H 1837, CS/CS/S 1132, S 1946)

Workers' Compensation; revises & deletes definitions; revises
provisions re election & revocation of exemption to remove
references to sole proprietors & partners; removes requirement that
corporate officers provide proof of status to claim exemption;
applies provisions re election of exemption from certain provision,
to corporate officers rather than sole proprietors & partners;
revises provisions re liability for compensation, etc. Amends Ch.
440. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/09/03 HOUSE Now in Insurance

04/17/03 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Insurance, 04/21/03, 2:15 pm,
212-K --Not considered

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1247 (Continued)
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 50-A (Ch.
2003-412)
- H 1409 GENERAL BILL by Antone (Similar H 1539, Compare H 1655, 2ND
ENG/H 1837, CS/CS/S 1132, S 1946)
Workers' Compensation; removes provisions authorizing certain
officers of corporation to elect to be exempt from specified
provisions; deletes exception provided for professional athletes;
provides procedure under which officer of corporation or partner to
partnership may elect to be exempt from specified provisions;
provides certain exceptions; provides for exclusive liability of
carrier or self-insured employer, etc. Amends Ch. 440, 627.
Effective Date: 01/01/2004.
03/06/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00142
03/14/03 HOUSE Referred to Insurance Regulation (IN); Insurance;
Commerce; Appropriations -HJ 00221
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Insurance Regulation (IN),
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 50-A (Ch.
2003-412)
- H 1539 GENERAL BILL by Fields (Similar H 1409, Compare H 1655, 2ND
ENG/H 1837, CS/CS/S 1132, S 1946)
Workers' Compensation; redefines term "employee" for purposes of
Workers' Compensation Law; revises provisions that authorize
certain officers of corporation to elect to be exempt from
specified provisions; redefines term "employment" & "wages";
removes references to sole proprietors & partners from provisions
authorizing election of exemption; includes licensed psychologist
within definition of terms "physician" & "doctor", etc. Amends Chs.
440, 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2004.
03/06/03 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00151
03/14/03 HOUSE Referred to Health Access & Financing (IN);
Insurance; Commerce; Appropriations -HJ 00223
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Access & Financing
(IN), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB
50-A (Ch. 2003-412)
- H 1837 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Insurance; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Berfield;
Clarke; Detert; Harrell; Jordan; Sansom (Compare H 0163, H 0927,
H 1179, H 1247, H 1409, H 1539, H 1655, CS/CS/S 1132, S 1946,
S 2282)
Workers' Compensation; revises authorization to claim exemptions &
requirements re submitting notice of election of exemption;
provides that corporate officer electing to be exempt may not
receive benefits; specifies effect of criminal acts; provides for
compensability of mental & nervous injuries; revises provisions re
contractors & subcontractors re liability for compensation;
provides conditions for applying for building permits, etc. Amends
FS. Effective Date: 10/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- H 1837 (Continued)
05/02/03 HOUSE Refused to concur, requested Senate to recede
-HJ 01044
05/02/03 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 50-A (Ch.
2003-412)
- S 1132 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Banking and Insurance; Clary
(Compare H 0163, H 0927, H 1247, H 1409, H 1539, H 1655, 2ND
ENG/H 1837, S 1946, S 2282)
Workers' Compensation; requires Chief Financial Officer to contract
with state attorneys of specified judicial circuits to prosecute
criminal violation of Workers' Comp. Law & related crimes; revises
exemption requirements & compensability eligibility standards;
requires all employers engaged in work in Fla. to obtain Fla.
policy; clarifies exclusiveness of liability re safety services,
etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$581,846. Effective Date:
07/01/2003.
05/01/03 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00856;
Substituted HB 1837 (Died in Senate Returning
Messages) -SJ 01035; Laid on Table,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 50-A (Ch.
2003-412)
- S 2152 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Comprehensive Planning; Military and
Veterans' Affairs, Base Protection, and Spaceports; Clary;
(CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Fasano (Similar 2ND ENG/S 0594, Compare
H 0661, 1ST ENG/H 1687, CS/CS/S 0186)
Military Readiness; provides legislative findings re compatibility
of development with military installations; provides for
consideration of compatibility with military installations in
developing future land use element to comprehensive plan; provides
for state land planning agency to coordinate with Defense Dept. on
use compatibility issues re military installations, etc. Creates
163.3175,.31779; amends 163.3164,.3177,.3187,.3191,.3167.
Effective Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.
04/25/03 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00588
04/28/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages
- S 0594 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Posey; Crist
(Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2152, Compare H 0489, H 0661, H 1475, 1ST
ENG/H 1687, CS/CS/S 0186, CS/S 0570, CS/2ND ENG/S 1098)
Military Affairs; requires insurer to refund entire unearned
premium to any member of armed services who cancels policy under
certain circumstances; provides for consideration of compatibility
with military installations in developing future land use element
to comprehensive plan; requires such agreements to be consistent
with adopted comp. plans or amendments to such plans adopted within

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

- S 0594 (Continued)
one year after agreement execution, etc. Amends Ch. 163, 627.7283.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
05/01/03 SENATE Passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00874
05/01/03 HOUSE In Messages
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 1098 (Ch. 2003-72)
- H 0661 GENERAL BILL by Evers; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Bullard; Murzin (CS by
Commerce) (Compare 2ND ENG/S 0594, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2152)
Military Readiness; provides legislative findings re compatibility
of development with military installations; provides for exchange
of info. between certain local governments & military
installations; defines term "military installation"; provides that
element re military readiness is mandatory element of comprehensive
plan for certain local governments; requires local governments to
seek advice from individuals who may be affected, etc. Amends Ch.
163. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/09/03 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6.3(b)
04/18/03 HOUSE Now in Appropriations -HJ 00365
05/02/03 HOUSE Died in Committee on Appropriations
- H 1687 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Zapata; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard; Carassas; M.
Davis; Llorente; Planas; Rivera; Robaina; Sorensen (Similar
CS/CS/S 0186, Compare 2ND ENG/S 0594, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2152, S 2528)
Governmental Reorganization; creates Dept. of State & Community
Affairs; provides that department shall be headed by secretary
appointed by & serving at pleasure of Governor; establishes
divisions within department; requires appointment of Emergency
Management Div. directors; provides for establishment of bureaus,
sections, & subsections deemed necessary by secretary for certain
purposes; provides responsibilities for records storage to DMS,
etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.
05/02/03 SENATE In Messages; Received, referred to Comprehensive
Planning; Governmental Oversight and Productivity;
Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation and
Economic Development; Appropriations; Rules and
Calendar -SJ 01159; Died in Committee on
Comprehensive Planning
- S 0186 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity;
Comprehensive Planning; Geller; Webster (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1687,
Compare 2ND ENG/S 0594, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2152, S 2528)
Governmental Reorganization; (THIS BILL COMBINES S186,2528) creates
State & Community Affairs Dept.; provides that Fla. Housing Finance
Corp. & Emergency Management Div. shall be placed in department for
administrative purposes; provides for Director of Emergency
Management Div. to be appointed by Governor; prohibits abrogation
of quasi-judicial development order under certain circumstances,
etc. Creates 20.101; amends 163.3167; repeals 20.10,.18. Effective
Date: 07/01/2003 except as otherwise provided.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 0186 (Continued)

04/28/03 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on
Transportation and Economic Development;
Appropriations -SJ 00672; Now in Rules and Calendar
05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Rules and Calendar

S 2332 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging, and Long-Term Care; Wasserman
Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1381)
Anesthesiologist Assistants; requires anesthesiologist assistants
to maintain medical malpractice insurance or provide proof of
financial responsibility as condition of licensure or licensure
renewal; revises grounds for which physician may be disciplined for
failing to provide adequate supervision; provides performance
standards for assistants & supervising anesthesiologists, etc.
Amends 456.048, 458.331, 459.015; creates 458.3475, 459.023.
Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

04/16/03 SENATE Rereferred to Finance and Taxation; Appropriations
Subcommittee on Health and Human Services;
Appropriations -SJ 00423

04/17/03 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Finance and Taxation,
04/22/03, 4:30 pm, 37-S --Not considered

05/02/03 SENATE Died in Committee on Finance and Taxation
H 1381 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Negron; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; McInvale;
Zapata (Similar CS/S 2332)
Anesthesiologist Assistants; requires Board of Medicine & Board of
Osteopathic Medicine to require medical malpractice insurance or
proof of financial responsibility as condition of licensure or
licensure renewal for licensed anesthesiology assistants; revises
grounds for which physician may be disciplined for failing to
provide adequate supervision; provides performance standards for
assistants, etc. Amends 456.048, 458.331, 459.015; creates
458.3475, 459.023. Effective Date: 07/01/2003.

05/01/03 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00980; Ordered engrossed
-HJ 00980

05/02/03 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 2632 **RESOLUTION by Smith; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano;
Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary;
Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery;
Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson;
Lee; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders;
Sebesta; Siplin; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson;
Wise

Kirkpatrick, Sen. George G., Jr.; honors memory of Senator George
G. Kirkpatrick, Jr.

04/10/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00368; Read second time -SJ 00368;

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Senator Peaden (Continued)

S 2632 *(Continued)

04/10/03 SENATE Adopted -SJ 00368

S 2674 **RESOLUTION by Lee; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise Operation Iraqi Freedom; supports American & coalition forces in "Operation Iraqi Freedom."
03/27/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00275; Read second time -SJ 00275; Adopted -SJ 00275

S 2724 **RESOLUTION by Lynn; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lee; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise Ocala/Marion County/Horse Capital; recognizes Ocala/Marion County, Florida, as "The Horse Capital of the World."
04/16/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00406; Read second time -SJ 00407; Adopted -SJ 00407

S 2764 **RESOLUTION by Lynn; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lee; Margolis; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise (Similar H 9095)
Take Your Dad to School Month/Sept.; encourages fathers & caring men who substitute for fathers to be meaningfully involved in their children's lives, & recognizes September 2003 as "Take Your Dad to School Month" in State of Florida.
04/16/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00407; Read second time -SJ 00407; Adopted; See also HR 9095 (Adopted) -SJ 00407

H 9095 RESOLUTION by Negron; (CO-SPONSORS) Bullard (Similar S 2764)
Take Your Dad to School Month; proclaims September 2003 as Take Your Dad to School Month in Florida.
04/04/03 HOUSE Placed on Ceremonial Resolutions Calendar - Publication only; Read second time -HJ 00332; Adopted; See also SR 2764 (Adopted) -HJ 00332

Senator Peaden (Continued)

- S 2806 **RESOLUTION by Posey; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lee; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise NASCAR; recognizes NASCAR & its contribution to history, economy, & pride of great State of Florida.
04/08/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00349; Read second time -SJ 00350;
Adopted -SJ 00350
- S 2838 **RESOLUTION by Bullard; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Argenziano; Aronberg; Atwater; Campbell; Carlton; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Jones; Klein; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise (Similar H 9035)
Parents' Day; recognizes vital place that parenting holds in life of child & in whole of society & recognizes Sunday, July 27, 2003, as "Parents' Day" in Florida.
04/28/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00650; Read second time -SJ 00650;
Adopted; See also HR 9035 (Adopted) -SJ 00650
- H 9035 RESOLUTION by Bullard (Similar S 2838)
Parents' Day/July 27, 2003; designates Sunday, July 27, 2003, "Parents' Day" in Florida.
04/01/03 HOUSE Placed on Ceremonial Resolutions Calendar -
Publication only -HJ 00289; Read second time
-HJ 00289; Adopted; See also SR 2838 (Adopted)
-HJ 00289
- S 2970 **RESOLUTION by Argenziano; (CO-SPONSORS) King; Alexander; Aronberg; Atwater; Bennett; Bullard; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Crist; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dockery; Fasano; Garcia; Geller; Haridopolos; Hill; Jones; Klein; Lawson; Lee; Lynn; Margolis; Miller; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Saunders; Sebesta; Siplin; Smith; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wilson; Wise Buesing, Lance Corporal Brian Rory; recognizes & honors United States Marine Corps Lance Corporal Brian Rory Buesing for his patriotic spirit, his selfless commitment to free an oppressed people from tyrannical rule, his courageous actions when in harm's way, & his legacy of giving his all to secure freedoms on which our nation was founded.
05/01/03 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00859; Read second time -SJ 00860;
Adopted -SJ 00860